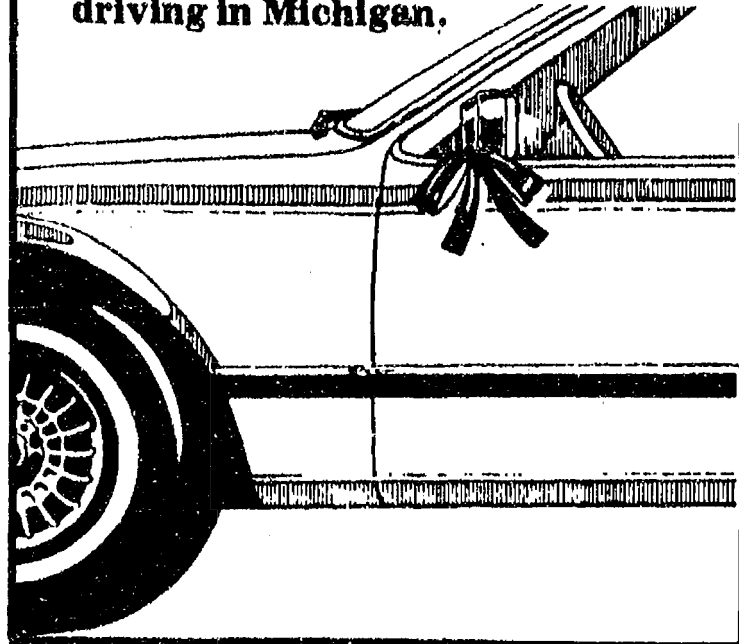


## Go ahead... tie one on!

Madd (Mothers Against Drunk Driving) and Michigan law enforcement agencies want you to "tie one on" this holiday season. Tie a bright red ribbon on your door handle, antenna, or outside mirror. The red ribbon will show you want to stop drunk driving in Michigan.



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# Avalanche 35¢

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## Hanson Hills Opens Slopes and Trails

Downhill skiing at the Hanson Hills Recreation Area began on Monday, December 11. Recreation director Daniel Wyers reported that all eight slopes have a six to eight inch base of natural snow.

"The sides of the hills have been ready for a little while," said Wyers, "but we could not open until there was an adequate base on the hilltops."

Cross country skiers have been using Hanson Hills' trails since December 6th.

Thanks to several grants and local donations, Hanson Hills has expanded their cross country skiing facilities and boasts of being the "Cross-Country Skiing Mecca of the Midwest." It has 35 kilometers (Km) of wooded, rolling terrain that is groomed for traditional (single track) and

skating styles.

Brown Trail is a short trail which covers about 4 Km, going over Guyton Hill and is for the expert skier. The Orange Trail is the main trail circling the perimeter of the area covering about 12 Km. It offers some good challenging hills and is also recommended for the expert skiers.

The Yellow and Blue trails are beautiful wooded trails with some hills. They are 8.4 and 5.6 Km respectively, and are rated intermediate to advanced. Skiers just learning to cross country ski will enjoy the Green Trail, 4.8 Km, which travels through wooded hills and open valleys with moderate hills at each end of the run.

Hanson Hills is open for cross country skiing seven days a week from 8 a.m. to dark. Downhill hours are Monday, Thursday and Friday from 8-

10 p.m., Saturday 11 a.m.-10 p.m. and Sunday 11 a.m.-5 p.m. During the Christmas holidays, Hanson Hills will be open everyday from 11 a.m.-10 p.m. It will be closed on Christmas Day.

Ski rental for both downhill and cross country skiing, private and group instruction, snowboarding rental and lessons, and a cafeteria service are all available. Skiing classes will begin the first week in January.

In addition to skiing, Hanson Hills offers hills for sledding and tubing and an ice skating rink.

Wyers said memberships fees and downhill tow fees are the same as last year; however, cross country rates have increased slightly to help defray improvement expenses.

## News Briefs

### Train Strikes Rear of Truck

A moving van couldn't stop on icy roads for a train crossing, so the driver accelerated to beat the train. The train was switching cars and moving slowly so it just caught the rear of the truck. The truck driver, Dale Weldenhammer, 28, of Traverse City, was not injured.

The accident occurred at the tracks on M-72 West in Grayling at 5:10 a.m. Wednesday, December 6. No damage was reported to the Detroit and Mackinaw line train. No estimate on the damage to the rear of the moving van was given. No tickets were issued.

### Twelve Enter Home Christmas Decorating Contest

Here is a list of applicants so far that have entered the Grayling Promotional Association Home Decorating Contest. We have provided a map and a planned route so that you in the community may view the lovely decorations and judge for yourselves.

You may pick up a map at one of the 3 following locations: Weaver's Gifts, Ivy Girl, or the Avalanche.

#### Entries

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Radzwil, M-72 West; Bill & Troy Haag, Goose Creek Rd. (off 72 West); Dennis & Kimberly Kuhn, Shaw Park Rd.; Jack & Nita Millikin, 434 Millikin Rd.; Jack & Sherry Harney, 459 Millikin Rd.; Bill & Irene Gildner, 365 S. AuSable Trail; Edward Janos, Frederic; Jewell Ward, 707 Park St.; Mr. LeRoy Johnson, 708 Erie St.; Janet Brown, 6506 Cheboygan St. Frederic; Bill & Jane Huro, 8132 Grayling Ave.; and Lora Gould, 308 AuSable St.

## 12th Annual 'Meet the Grads' Slated at GHS

On Friday, December 22nd, from 10:00 a.m. to 11:45 a.m., Former students Grayling High School who are enrolled in will host the 12th annual colleges or universities presentation of the "Meet the Grads" in students of technical or vocational schools, and members of the armed services are all welcome to attend.

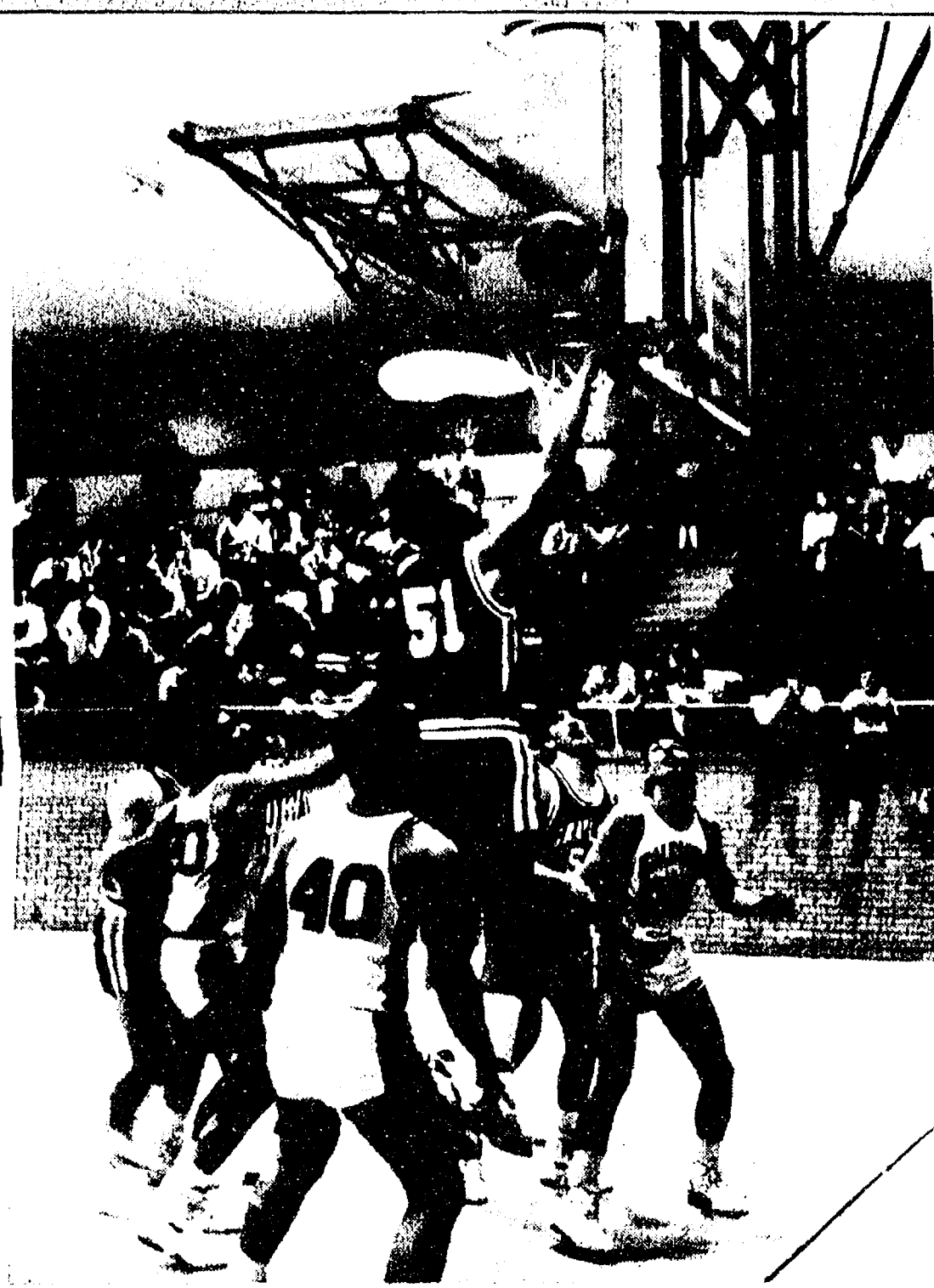
To those unfamiliar with the ceremony, "Meet the Grads" is an opportunity for recent alumni of GHS to the National Honors Society, with the periences concerning assistance of the counseling Department.

**Aaron Raymond  
Wins FB Contest  
See page 13**

## Winter Action Begins!



**SKIING TAKES OFF** -- Cross country skiers Dick Fultz and Matt LaMoreaux, of Higgins Lake, and Matt Vajda, of Traverse City, were found Tuesday morning enjoying the cross country ski trails at Hanson Hills.



**HIGH ABOVE THE OTHERS** -- Kalkaska defenders can only watch and wait for Viking center Jim Abney to come down after he scored.

## Skyline, Cross-Country Trails Open Early in County

The ski season has started a little ahead of usual in Crawford County. Six area skiing facilities report that they are open and skiing is great.

The Skyline Ski Area, located on Skyline Road in Beaver Creek Township, opened its ten slopes on Saturday, December 9. It will be open seven days a week beginning December 16, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and offer night skiing beginning Wednesday, December 27, on Wednesday and Saturday from 3:30 to 10 p.m.

Guests of the Skyline Ski Area, will find a retail ski shop, equipment rental, cafeteria and repair shop. The ski repair shop will mount bindings, hot wax skis, sharpen the edges of skis and all other types of repair services. Skiing lessons and memberships are available.

Skyline offers only downhill skiing on slopes covered with only natural snow.

#### The Cross Country Ski Shop

The Cross Country Ski Shop, located behind the Holiday Inn has two and one-half miles of cross country ski trails open to the public free of charge and is in the process of constructing an additional one-mile course that will be lighted until 11 p.m.

The ski shop offers a complete line of cross country skis, boots, clothing and accessories. Their motto is "If we don't have it, you don't need it."

The staff of the Cross Country Ski Shop are all avid skiers and are able to fit all types of ski equipment whether the intent is to buy or rent. USSA Level One ski coaches are available for lessons. A ski repair shop can assist with all types of repairs and offers hot waxing.

The Cross Country Ski Shop is open seven days a week, Monday through Friday from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. and on weekends from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

#### Forbush Corner

Forbush Corner, located off County Road 612, one-quarter mile east of I-75 off the Lewiston/Frederic exit, has been open to cross country skiers since November 18.

This ski resort has three major loop courses and a one kilometer night trail that is lighted on Friday and Saturday from dark to 9:30 p.m.

Green Trail, which varies from 2½ to 3½ kilometers, is a short loop with difficult options off the loop. Pines Loop is 11 kilometers and is rated intermediate in difficulty. This trail shares it back mile with one of the Hartwick Pines State Park's trails. The Roller Coaster is 9 kilometers and is rated most difficult.

Trails are groomed with a 10 foot bombardier and have both single track sets and a corduroy skating lane.

Forbush Corner has a retail ski shop that carries a full line of cross country equipment, clothing and accessories, ski rental and ski lessons by Scott Hartwig. On weekends it offers a restaurant service.

Ski waxing clinics will be held on December 16 and 17. On December 16 Mike Wagner from Swix USA will be conducting a clinic at 6 p.m. and Kurt Kemppainen from Ski-go of Minnesota will conduct a session at 10 a.m. on December 17.

The Frederic Loppet, a 10 kilometer race, will be hosted by Forbush on March 10 at 10 a.m. The race is sponsored by Pepsi Cola and AuSable Woodworking of Frederic.

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## Shawono Center Youth Improve Manistee River

Young Shawono Center men have completed a lot of work to improve the watershed of the Manistee River basin for the year 1989 and will start again in April of 1990.

Shawono Center young men have furnished the hard work of placing rock rip rap in the streams to stabilize the sand banks so the creeks and river can clean themselves of sand that has covered the gravel beds for years.

The stream has gravel showing through the sand in the area they have worked for better feeding and spawning grounds for the trout. Other forage fish moved in at once to take up residence among the stone, which makes a good feeding area.

This group of young men have put the ground work ahead of the expectations for

this year's achievement with timely hard work and cooperation with the many clubs and associations that make up the Huron Pines Association with the Resource, Conservation and Development Area.

Thus far, these young men have completed two major sites with steps, stone rip rap, grading, mulching and planting grass and Red Pine seedlings. They have a very good start on the third site, which is in desperate need of work in 1990. They hope to have all of these areas of Portage Creek completed to stop any new sand from entering the river there and plan to start on the upper Manistee with this same treatment of sand erosion. With the efforts of the many groups as well as their support, there

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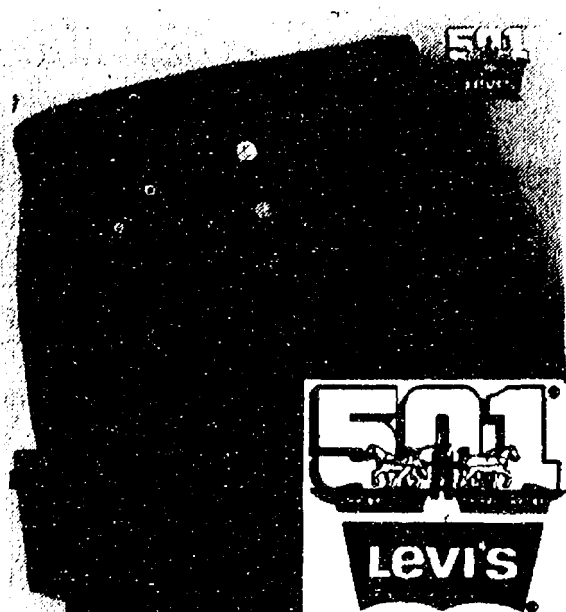
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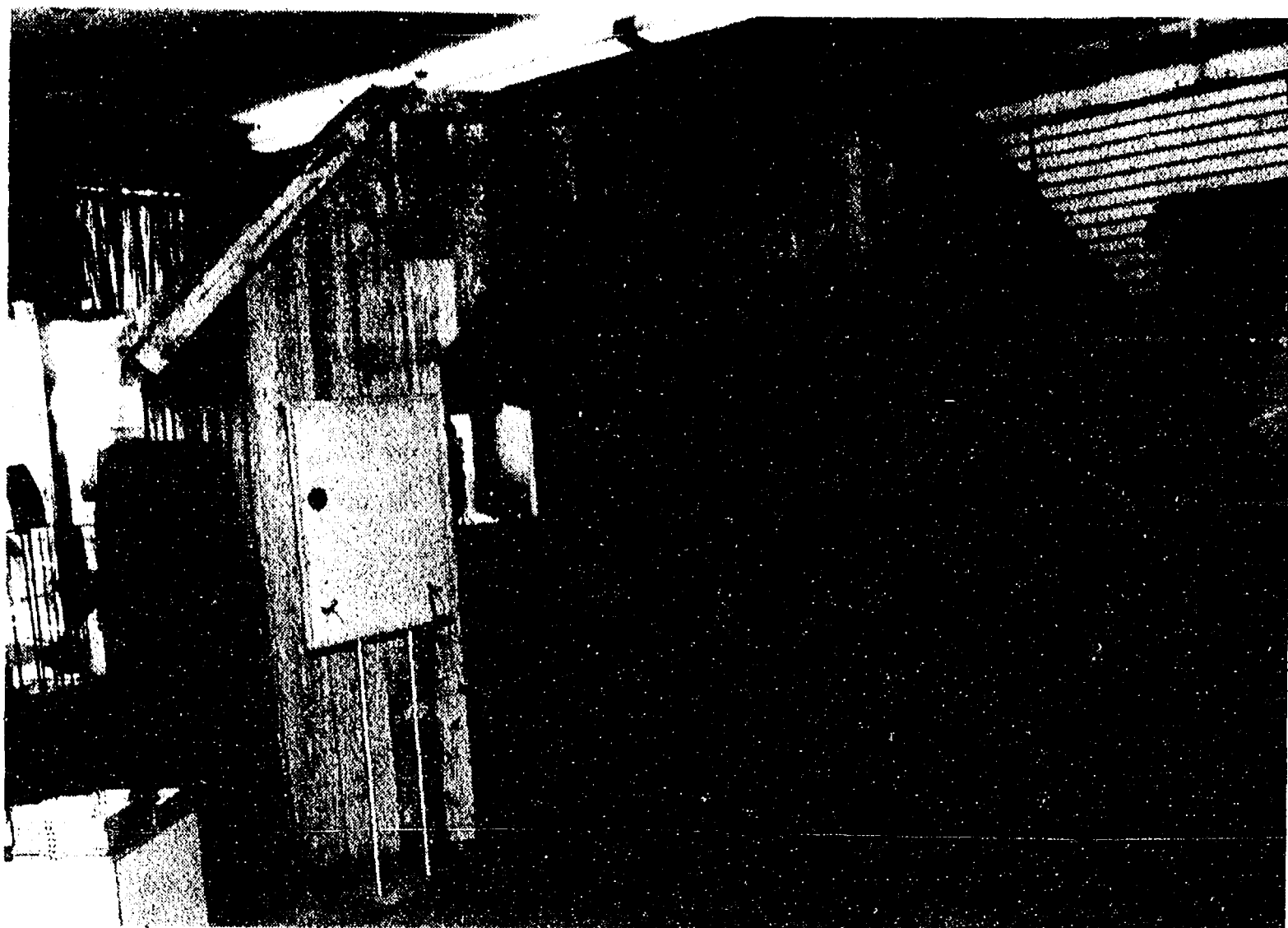
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Remember Entire Lot of Free Parking in the Grayling Mall





**STEP BACK**—Visitors to J. Dap Company's Milltown General Store can purchase specialty teas, cough syrup, pottery, spices, cookbooks, wooden buckets and much, much more.

## Step Back in Time at Milltown General Store

Have you ever wanted to step back into time and experience a bit of life as it was for your great-grandparents?

Pamela Fisher, Jamie St. John, Donna O'Grady and Ann Stephenson, proprietors of the J. Dap Co., are attempting to do just that with their new Milltown General Store that celebrated its grand opening on Saturday, November 19.

The Milltown

General Store is a unique store within a store. The wooden reproduction of an 1800's general store was constructed inside the J.C. Penney's Catalog Center, which is owned by the same partnership.

Visitors to the general store will find an extensive line of Watkins spices and extracts, specialty teas and coffees and many home decor items. The store has beautiful handcrafted nostalgic

bouquets, loveknits and wreaths made of grapevines, dried and silk flowers and woven wheat stalks. Many beautiful as well as functional pieces of handmade Bear Pottery from Highland, Wisconsin, is displayed as are a variety of Maine Buckets from Lewiston, Maine.

The Maine Buckets are sold in their natural state and can be painted, stained or left just as they are. They were designed to hold plants, fruit, knitting, dried flowers, toys, kindling or magazines and can be used indoors or outdoors. The Maine Half Bucket is just that, half a bucket, and can be hung on the wall or next to any flat surface.

All of these items would make perfect Christmas gifts, especially for the person on your list that enjoys early American or Country decor. For the antique buff, the Milltown General Store offers several beautiful pieces of furniture.

"In the future we hope to be able to increase our inventory to include stone ground flours, penny candy, kitchen utensils, bolts of fabric and other items that were found in an old general store," said Jamie St. John.

The Milltown General Store is open Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. and on Saturday from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

### New Life Staff Plans Christmas Open House

A Christmas Open House on Friday, December 15th, from 4 - 7 p.m. will be held at the New Life Community Service, St. Francis Church, M-72 West. Refreshments and appetizers will be served and the public is invited.

### Cards of Thanks

Many thanks to everyone for your love and support during my recent loss. A special thanks to Dr. Ramaswamy and Amicare and to the Sorenson Funeral Home for their kindness and support. Also a special thanks to all my friends from the Senior Citizen Bowling League. Thank you again for the love and support.

Erling Klug

Crawford County

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# Avalanche

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## Literacy Tutor Training Workshop Set for January

The AuSable Adult Literacy Network has been active in Grayling and the surrounding areas for about four years now. Phyllis Brummer, an active tutor, started the literacy movement in Crawford Co. when she realized a need for such a program in the area.

The Literacy Network was formed to serve the needs of those who couldn't read well or read at all. By utilizing volunteer tutors that come from a wide range of backgrounds, the needs of those less fortunate are able to be met.

Currently there are about 12 tutors working with approximately 20 clients,

and the ratio should be 1 to 1. Tutors come from many walks in life. Some are senior citizens, others are retired school teachers, housewives, college students and any other occupation imaginable.

Becoming a tutor is a very rewarding experience. Knowing that you could help someone else to read and build their self confidence can be fulfilling.

Tutor training workshops are held occasionally to train new tutors and act as a gathering spot for veteran tutors so they may share some of their information with the new tutors.

Anyone who would

like to become a volunteer can call Ron Rakoczy at the Adult Learning Center, 5489 M-F, 1-3 p.m. for more information. A tutor training

workshop will be held in January at the Adult Learning Center. Please watch for further announcements regarding date and time.

### Local Weather

Courtesy of the City of Grayling

Date	High	Low	Inches of Snow On Ground
12/6	35	15	5
12/7	31	6	6
12/8	19	-19	5
12/9	24	6	5
12/10	29	19	5
12/11	28	5	6
12/12	20	-19	6

Extended forecast courtesy of the U.S. Weather Service in Houghton Lake:

Wednesday through Saturday it will be COLD with a chance of snow each day. Highs will be in the teens and lows 0 to -5. A new record was set on December 8, 1989 with the temperature falling to -8. This beat the previous record of -7 set in 1964.

### Thank You

Thanks to Dr. Shin and all the nurses for their great care while I was in the hospital. Especially, the night shift nurses who woke me nightly to take my blood pressure.

I would also like to thank everyone who called, sent flowers, cards and brought in meals.

Best of all, Thanks Mom, for coming to be with me afterwards.

Doris J. Doe

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# Opinions

## Northern Views

By Jon Thompson  
Avalanche Editor



Most people in Crawford County are realizing the dangers caused by drunk driving on our roads and I think a lot of progress has been made here in the last few years to reduce the number of impaired drivers on the local roads.

Not enough people around here, however, realize the dangers caused by another scourge of the roads - tailgaters.

According to Triple A of Michigan, drivers who follow too closely and fall to stop in time were the leading cause of traffic accidents last year in Michigan.

More than a third of Michigan's 410,437 accidents last year were due to motorists following too closely and being unable to stop, says Triple A.

Triple A recommends at least a 3-second gap between cars on dry roads. For slippery or snow-covered roads, Triple A recommends double the safety margin, a minimum of 6 seconds between cars.

To determine a safe distance to travel behind another car:

\*Find a distinct road marking or sign.

\*Begin counting when the car in front of you passes that spot.

\*Count one-thousand-one, one-thousand-two... up to six.

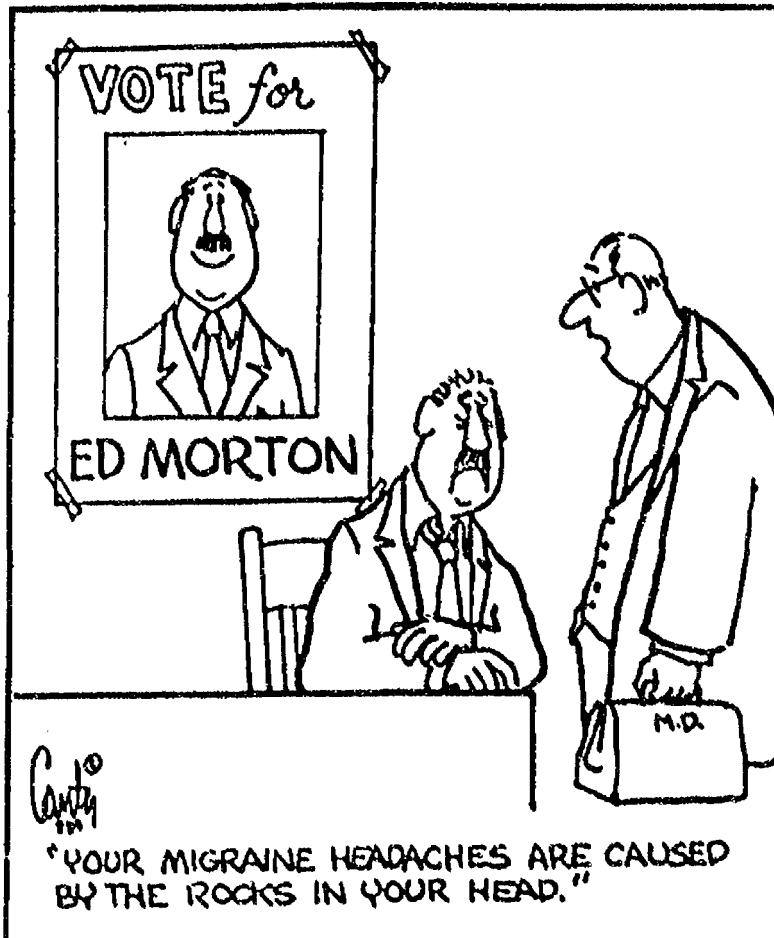
\*If you reach that designated spot before six you need to slow down and increase the gap between you and the other car.

I hate driving on Detroit freeways because hardly anyone maintains a safe distance from your car. They tailgate and cut in front of you, all the time while moving at high speeds.

But the city expressways aren't the only places tailgaters are found. A third of all traffic accidents in our big state were caused by them. They're on our Crawford County roads too.

Because of all the accidents they cause, including fatal ones, tailgaters can not be shrugged off as merely nuisances. Until people realize tailgaters, like drunk drivers, are no joke, they'll continue to cause a third of all traffic accidents in Michigan.

## ALL ABOUT TOWN



## Letters to the Editor

Your views are welcome on this page. Letters may be typed or handwritten but please double space or use every other line.

Every letter must be signed and an address or phone number should be included. Letters will not be published without the author's name.

Letters are limited to 500 words. The opinions expressed in the letters and columns on this page are solely those of the writer and do not reflect the views of the Crawford County Avalanche.

## Avalanche Deadlines For News, Advertising

Community news items submitted to the Avalanche must be turned in to the office by Monday noon to appear in our Wednesday issue. Letters to the Editor and photographs must be turned in by Friday noon to appear in the next issue.

News items and letters should be submitted on 8 1/2-by-11-inch paper, typed, and double-spaced. Handwritten items must also have ample space between each line; on lined paper please use every other line.

Classified ads must be turned in by Tuesday noon and have to be paid in advance or they will not be published.

Full page, half page, or color display ads must be turned in by Thursday, 5 p.m.

The deadline for all display ads smaller than a half page is Friday, 5 p.m.

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## Letters to the Editor

### Tourist Association Gives Grayling High Scores

Dear Editor:

On behalf of the membership, Board of Directors and staff of the East Michigan Tourist Association, thank you Grayling!

The Grayling Holiday Inn, in cooperation with Grayling area merchants, hosted EMTA's 1988 annual conference and 65th birthday party. One comment from a

delegates' conference evaluation says it all, "It's hard to get a 5 (on a scale of 1 - 5), but overall I would say the annual meeting was a 10."

Special thanks goes to the work of Ron Fraser, Jeril Cullings and the staff at the Holiday Inn for all their hard work and efforts in making EMTA's 65th birthday party a special

celebration. These efforts included a person who became a "pole sitter" for the evening, a delicious display of wonderful food, and entertainment by Bob Bloenk - who was fantastic! The raffle that Grayling area merchants made possible through donations, was itself a celebration. Thank you!

Tracy A. Weber  
Executive Director



## Let's Talk About It

By Joe Murphy



We tend to think of the old days as a more peaceful, quiet time, but research of the court records for that era fall to bear that out. It seems there were a lot of problems back in those days also.

For instance, on May 17, 1924, there was a murder here in Grayling. It seems two hobos met in Bay City and decided to travel north together. Their names were William McWilliams and Robert Taylor. They shared a box car up to Grayling and dropped off here to eat. They had breakfast in the old Burton Hotel (the Sawmill bar now). They hung around the hobo jungle by the swimming hole until afternoon then returned to the Burton for a meal. McWilliams had paid the tab for their meals and Taylor got the idea that he might have a roll of money on him.

Taylor had picked up a large railroad bolt in their wanderings and hid it in his clothes. They returned to a box car to take a nap and Taylor beat the sleeping McWilliams over the head with that bolt and robbed him of the 23 dollars he carried. Taylor left McWilliams's body in the box car with door closed. The railroad crew found the body while checking cars shortly after. Taylor was soon arrested and confessed to the murder.

On the 29th of May, 1924, Taylor was convicted and sentenced to life for 1st degree murder. Notice that in less than two weeks after the

crime he had been tried and convicted. Today the case would go on for months and cost the county a small fortune. Seems the wheels of justice rolled a lot faster in the old days.

Back in the twenties while the great experiment with prohibition was going a lot of the local gentry found themselves in trouble with the law. Quite a few of them had to serve time down at Jackson or at the federal prison at Ionia.

There was one case here in Crawford County where a woman had traded her eleven year old daughter to a man for an old horse. The man was convicted and served time for rape. The court records do not show that the woman was ever charged with a crime.

One of the crimes that came up in the records often in those days was Cohabitation. That was the crime of a man and woman living together without being married. If that law was still enforced it would really cause havoc in our judicial system.

I see many signs that the Christmas Season will soon be upon us, many of the light arrangements on homes and business places are very beautiful. Again I would ask that all that can, offer help or funds to those people working with the goal of a smile on every child's face on Christmas morning. Being forgotten by Santa is a real downer for a child. Let's not let that happen to any of our children.

## ...about your Social Security

Social Security beneficiaries will receive a 4.7 percent cost of living increase on the December payment, due January 3. Supplemental Security Income (SSI) recipients who are due a raise will receive it on the January check, which will be dated December 29, due to the New Year's holiday.

Medicare beneficiaries will have the Part B premium increased on the January 3 check, but a special protection in the law guarantees that the premium increase will not cause the Social Security check to be less than it was before the cost of living raise.

People who work and receive Social Security benefits will be able to

earn more in 1990 without losing any benefits. Beneficiaries age 65 through 69 may earn \$9,380. This is an increase from \$8,880 in 1989. Those under 65 may earn up to \$6,840 in 1990, an increase from \$6,480. For those under 65, \$1 in benefits is withheld for every \$2 earned over the limit.

However, beginning in 1990, beneficiaries age 65 - 69 will lose \$1 in benefits for every \$3 earned over the limit. For both age groups, a special monthly earnings limit may be applied to the first year of retirement, so individuals are not penalized for earnings prior to the month of retirement.

For workers covered by Social Security, the FICA tax rate will in-

crease from 7.51 percent to 7.65 percent for each the employee and employer.

Self-employed persons will have a tax rate of 15.3 percent in 1990, but will be able to deduct some of their Social Security taxes for income tax purposes beginning with tax year 1990.

For more information about these changes, contact Social Security toll-free at 800-234-5554. The Traverse City office is located at 1111 E. Front St. Business hours are 9:00 - 4:30, Monday through Friday, except national holidays. A representative is at the County Building in Grayling on the first and third Tuesday of each month, 10:30 - 2:00. There is no phone service at this location.

BUT DOES THE public really care? Probably not. If they did, there would be many more two-newspaper cities than there are today.

The trend in the today's society is away from competing newspapers; one after another, newspapers have succumbed to the realities of the pocketbook, caused by the switching needs of the reading and advertising public. Monopoly newspaper cities are the rule rather than the exception.

That's a sad trend, but it's not as cataclysmic as journalistic bleeding hearts would have us believe.

Diversity of opinion and editorial voice can be important; it matters to a small group of readers whose hearts bleed as deeply and as often as their journalistic counterparts.

But to the vast army of readers, whether there's one newspaper or two or three or four publications which call Detroit their home base is of relatively little consequence.

WHAT MATTERS TO most folks is whether their favorite comic strips will still be printed ... whether the crossword puzzle and other brain teasers will be dropped ... whether their delivery system will be interrupted.

One smalltown publisher of acquaintance learned of the vagaries of the reader's interest when he appeared on a local radio call-in-show to tell about all the wonderful things available from his product, such as news stories and editorials and opinion columns and pictures and feature stories, and on and on.

But the question that persisted from caller after caller was "why does the ink come off on my hands and my clothes." No interest in editorials, lots of interest in ink stains. And so it is.

Don't get me wrong. Newspapers are vital to many elements of our society and its function. So are opinions and editorials and other roles the newspaper routinely performs.

Yes, newspapers are important ... but usually not nearly as important as the folks who run them think they are.

WHAT WILL BE the effects of the Detroit JOA? Here are some guesses.

We can expect a higher circulation price. The 15- and 20-single copy newstand price has been unrealistic for the News and Free Press for several years. That will rise.

So will the cost of advertising. This is one of the points made by JOA opponents who fought the merger all the way to the Supreme Court. The joint newspaper sales force will now have a much stronger hammer on merchants who want to advertise in the Detroit market; but it will not be an effective monopoly, in that there are many competing outlets for advertising dollars in the metropolitan area, including importantly increasingly potent suburban newspapers.

As for the depth of competition between editorial staffs, that remains to be seen. JOA advocates pledge the continued cut-throat rivalry of the past between competing reporters. May be. As a longtime newspaper person, I'm a natural skeptic. I'll wait to be convinced.

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## Manistee River

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could be a difference in the next 4 to 5 years in the amount of river sand.

Fish habitat is being worked on at the same time as the bank erosion which should make better fishing for everyone.

"I can not say enough for the young men who have gotten this program underway," said Byron Shmel, supervisor of the Shawono group. "They have shown that they can and will be a part of the community if an opportunity is given. They have shown this in a way other than work, as each group sponsored a needy family in the area with a complete Thanksgiving meal and are now making plans to do the same for Christmas. The meals were paid for by the money earned by the young men for their work on the erosion project."



**BEFORE** — This is how this section of the Manistee looked before the Camp Shawono crew started.



**AFTER** — Byron Shmel shows the rocks placed along shore to halt erosion.

## Skyline, Cross-Country Trails Open Early in County

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### North Higgins Lake State Park

The North Higgins Lake State Park has three cross country ski trails. The old Nursery Trail (1.5 miles) and the Bosom Pines Trail (3.8 miles) are both groomed with a single track set. The Beaver Creek Trail is 6.5 miles and groomed only with no track set. Trails are all 10 foot wide.

The trails at North Higgins Lake all have the same start and intersect throughout the course. They are clearly marked and maps are available at the park.

Beginning January 1, the permit fees for Michigan State Parks will be \$3 for a daily per-

mit and \$15 for an annual sticker. Senior citizens may purchase their annual sticker for \$3.75.

Skiers have already begun skiing at North Higgins Lake, but park officials say they need a six inch wet snow base to pack before trails will be in peak condition.

Cross country skiing activities for the coming season include Ski for Light, an activity for the vision impaired skier to be held in mid-January, and the Beaver Creek Challenge Cross Country Race scheduled for Sunday, February 4. This race has grown over the years and now draws about 100 skiers from all over Michigan.

### Hartwick Pines State Park

Cross country skiers have been enjoying the trails and loops at Hartwick Pines for nearly three weeks.

The Pines offer three groomed loop trails and three trails that are not groomed. The groomed trails include Deer Run (three miles), Aspen Trail (five miles) and Weary Legs Trail (nine miles). The ungroomed trails are the Virgin Pines Foot Trail (one mile), Mertz Grade Trail (two miles) and the AuSable River Foot Trail (three miles).

A park official said that even though the Virgin Pines Foot Trail and the AuSable River Foot Trail are ungroomed, they are two of the most used trails because of their beauty. The AuSable River trail crosses the AuSable River over a foot bridge, runs one and a quarter miles along the river and then doubles back over the same bridge.

A \$3 daily permit or \$15 annual permit is necessary for admittance.

## GHS Grad To Address Commencement

A Dow Chemical Co. vice president will deliver the commencement address to 2,500 Central Michigan University graduates Dec. 16.

Roger Kessler, vice president and controller at Dow, heads CMU's Development Fund Board of Directors and is a member of the capital campaign committee.

A 1958 accounting graduate of CMU, Kessler was honored as an outstanding alumnus in 1982 and in 1984 by two university organizations. He will receive an honorary doctor of commercial science degree during the commencement ceremonies.

Kessler is also a graduate of Grayling High School.

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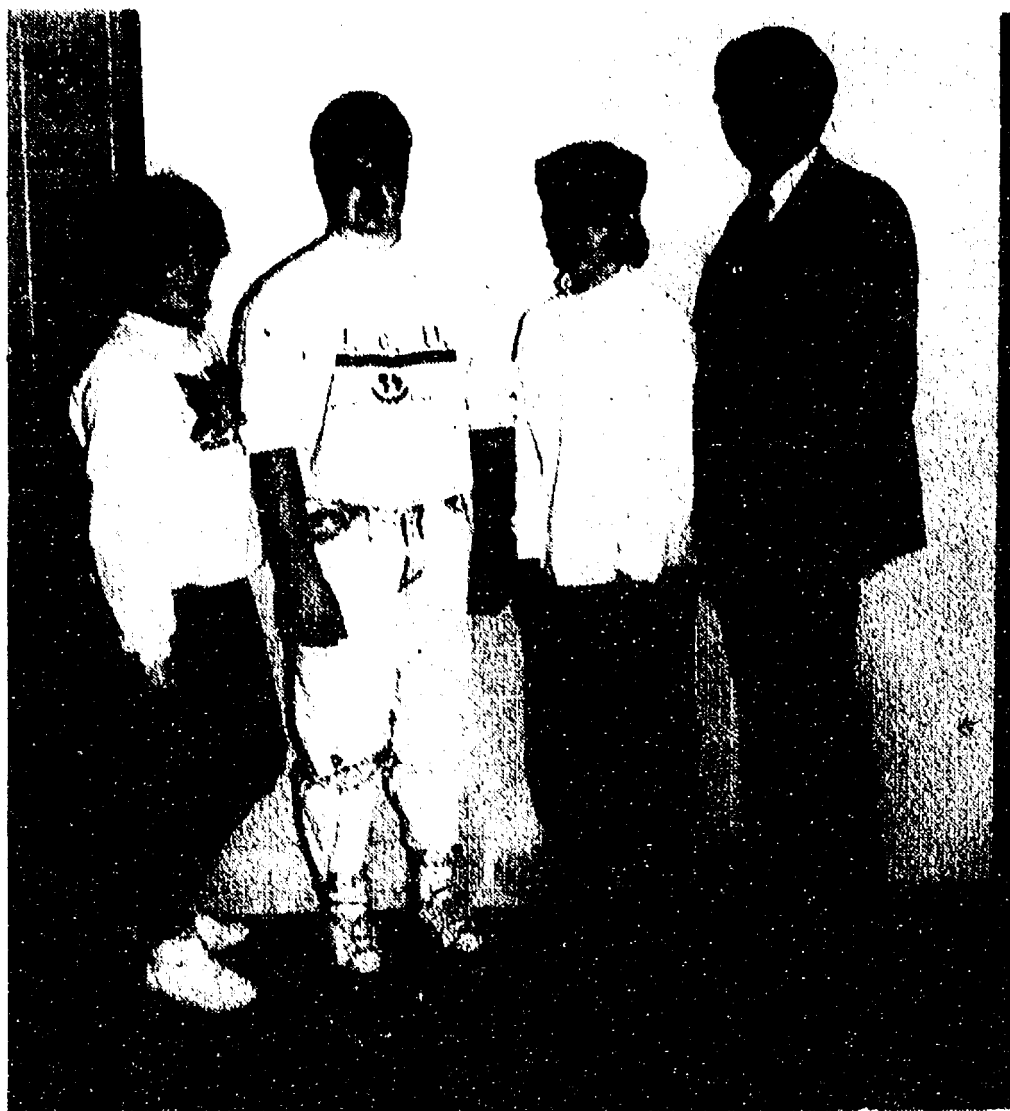
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**CONTEST WINNERS** — Voice of Democracy speech competition winners: Becky Harcourt, second place; Tom Bolick, fourth place; and Andy Barkley, third place. Pictured with winners is Carl Naughtin, Principal. First place winner Heather Garnett, absent when this picture was taken, has submitted her taped speech for state competition to be judged on December 15. The state winner will go on to national competition in Washington D.C. The contest was sponsored by the local VFW Post #3736 and Auxiliary. Cash prizes will be presented to the winners in January.

## Frederic News

The Workers in Frederic Christmas Decorating judging will take place Friday, Dec. 15th. Winners will be announced on the 16, at the Children's Christmas Party for Frederic and Maple Forest. The Christmas party will be at the Frederic Town Hall on Sat., Dec. 16, 1 to 3 p.m. for children up to age 13. Cookies, hot chocolate, and gifts from Santa and Mrs. Santa Claus will be passed out. The party is sponsored by W.I.F. and the Frederic Fire Dept.

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Plan on attending the COA/AARP potluck at 4 p.m. and staying on for the band. Just bring a dish to pass and enjoy yourself with good food and good entertainment.

Menu & Activities: Monday, December 18, 10:00-exercises; 2:00-English Class; 5:00-Dinner (Cook's Choice). Tuesday, December 19, 9:00-Crafts; 1:00-Bowling; 1:00-RSVP Cards;

1:30-Songbirds; 3:00-Kitchen Band; 4:30-Salad Bar; 5:00-Dinner (Pepper Steak); 5:30-Wheel of Fortune Game. Wednesday, December 20, 10:00-Quilting; 12:30-Swimmercize; 1:00-Shawano Luncheon; 1:00-Stag Party; 2:00-Swimmercize; 5:00-Dinner (Hot Turkey Sandwich); 5:30-Cards Night. Thursday, December 21, 2:00-Science Class; 5:00-Dinner (Braised Pork). Friday, December 22, Center closed for the holidays. Open on Tuesday, Dec. 26th.

## Frederic Hobby Clubs Plans Christmas Party

The Hobby Club met Monday December 4th, with 11 members and 8 guests present. They worked on Christmas projects for the Elementary School.

Saturday, December 16, has been set as the date of the Christmas Party. The time is 5:30 p.m. at the clubhouse. Each member is asked to bring a dish to pass and a \$2 gift for exchange. Members are welcome to bring a guest of their choice.

They will also meet Monday, December 18 at 6:00 p.m. to make Christmas plates for Senior Citizens.

The hostesses for the Dec. 4 meeting were Eleanor White and Grace Germain. Esther Weaver won the door prize and Connie Rozanski became a new member of the club.

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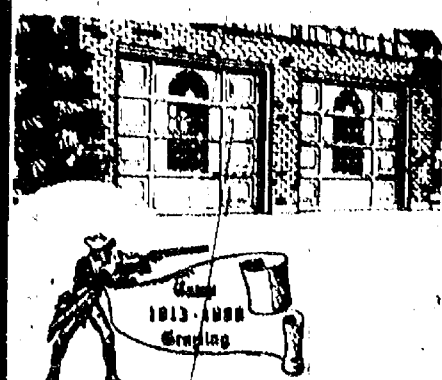
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## Births

Angela and James J. Pickell of Grayling are the proud parents of 8 lb. 7 oz. Nathan Michael, born Friday, Dec. 8, 1989, at Otsego Memorial Hospital. Grandparents are Joyce Pickell of Grayling, James L. and Lou Pickell of Grayling, Curmit and Diane Gipson of Jackson; great grandparents are Donald and Hazel Hauk of Baldwin, Louis and Maude Pickell of Grayling, Alfred and Dorothy Grammatico of Chelsea, and Claude and Julia Gipson of Chelsea.



**BULL ELK** - Bill Cross of Higgins Lake, owner of Cross' Kwik Stop in Frederic, shot this bull elk on December 6 in the Pigeon River Forest Area. The animal weighed 380 pounds and had a 4 x 5 foot rack. Cross shot the elk at first light and tracked it for nearly three and one-half hours (more than two miles) through deep snow. Cross and his son, Scott, used a logging skidder to haul the elk  $\frac{3}{4}$  of a mile to the road.

## City Council Meeting Cancelled

The regular scheduled City Council meeting for Tuesday, December 26th, 1989 has been cancelled due to Christmas vacation. There will be a meeting on January 8th, 1990 as scheduled.

## Christmas Program Open to Public

St. John Lutheran Church invites the public on Sunday, December 17, at 8:00 p.m. to a Christmas Program with dinner, "In Bethlehem Inn". On Sunday, December 24, their service begins with Sunday school at 9:30 a.m., worship at 11:00 a.m. The candlelight service is at 7:00 p.m.

## Surplus Food To Be Distributed December 19 at Eagles Club

Surplus food will be distributed Tuesday, December 19, from 10:00 to 3:00 p.m. at the Eagles Club, M-72 East.

The surplus food is given away free to people with low incomes. To receive these commodities, a person must present a certification card or verification of income. For more information call 348-3093. Please do not call the Eagles Club.

## Moose Lodge Sponsor Kids Christmas Party

The Grayling Moose Lodge will host a Christmas party for children up to 10 years old. The party will be from 2-4 p.m. Saturday, December 16, at the Moose Lodge at the corner of Old 27 and Old 76.

## Fifth Grade Christmas Program On Dec. 20

There will be a fifth grade Christmas program from 10-11:30 a.m. on December 20. All parents are invited.

Each fifth grade classroom will be performing songs, plays, or skits for Christmas. After the performance there will be punch and cookies. Please come and watch us perform.

by Brad Larm and Dennis Gugin

## Thank You

I would like to thank the doctors, nurses, and visitors for the care and concern. Also the flowers, prayers, phone calls and cards while I was a patient at Mercy Hospital. You know when your sick you don't feel good and the things mentioned above are such a comfort. Thanks a ton. Have a Happy Holiday season and May God Bless.

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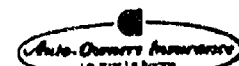


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## Grayling Beats Houghton Lake in Season Opener

The Vikings came home from Houghton Lake victorious Tuesday night, December 5, having beat the Bobcats 60-56.

"They played aggressive defense, hustled and played with intensity," said Mills. "It was a very satisfying game to win because it was close all the way," he said, "and that is how you like to open the season."

The score was tied, 12-12, at the end of the first quarter and 26-26 at the end of the first half. Grayling was ahead at the end of the third quarter, 44-38.

Abney led in baskets scored with 13 and 18 rebounds. Other points were made by: Fraser 12 points, 5 steals and 3 assists; Branch 12

points, 12 rebounds and 7 assists; Doremire 8 and 6 steals; Chad Bonamie 6, Nicholas 5 and Annis 4.

The Vikings had only 17 turnovers.

Mills said his team played as a team with each person playing the roll as intended.

Murphy's Law that states that if anything can go wrong it will seemed to plague the Grayling Vikings on Saturday as they struggled to win their home opener against Kalkaska.

Even though Grayling's second half was an improvement over their poor first half, it was not good enough and Kalkaska took home the victory, 52-51.

With twelve seconds remaining on the clock and Kalkaska leading

by only one point Grayling was fouled. The free throw missed.

With seven seconds remaining on the clock Grayling had possession of the ball and took it home shooting twice under the basket as time ran out. Neither shot hit its mark.

"We should not have had to rely on a last ditch effort," said Coach Tom Mills. "We were flat and let Kalkaska control us instead of us taking our game to them."

Kalkaska led at the end of the first quarter, 11-15, and at halftime, 20-31. During the third quarter Grayling came within three points of Kalkaska, 35-38, and the fourth quarter was nip and tuck throughout with the

win coming in the final seconds of the game.

Jim Abney was leading scorer with 18 points and 9 rebounds. Other points were made by: Scott Nicholas 10, Sean Fraser 8 with 5 assists, Tony Doremire 7, Matt Branch 5, Kirk Annis 2 with 12 rebounds and Jim Smith with 1 point.

The Vikings suffered 27 turnovers during the game.

Mills said his team did not play good defense with the intensity they needed. They did not execute the fast break, shot only 6 for 36 within a 10 foot radius of the basket, and 13 for 22 from the free throw line.

Saturday's game was played in the Middle School gymnasium because the high school gym floor was being refinished. Mills said playing on an unfamiliar floor may have attributed to Grayling's problems.

Grayling plays Friday night at Cheboygan and will have to be ready both physically and mentally to meet strong opposition from the always tough Cheboygan team, favored to win the conference title.

Next Tuesday the Vikings will host Charlevoix in the high school gym.

### Freshmen Beat Houghton Lake

The Grayling Freshman ball club played their season opener on Monday, December 11, with Houghton Lake and came home winners, 54-48.

"The team experienced some first game jitters," said Coach Bill Klinger, "but as the game went on, they settled down and played better basketball."

Jason Neeley was lead scorer with 11 points. Other points were scored by: Matt Gengerich 10, Matt Cragg, Mark Kraus and Andy Lochner with 7 points each, Mike Spencer 6, Steve Branch 3 and Mike McMillan 3.

Kraus, Neeley and Cragg did a nice job rebounding. Branch, Lochner, McMillan and Spencer played strong defensive games causing Houghton Lake to turnover the ball repeatedly.

#### Grayling Junior Pro Basketball

December 9 Game Results	
9rd/4th Grade	1-0
Laurine Wolverines	1-0
R&H Sports Pistons	1-0
Scorcons Superonics	0-1
Golden Rule Printing Pacers	0-1
Pizza Hut Trailblazers	0-1
Chemical Bank North Cavaliers	0-1
Rochettes Bulls	0-0
McDonalds Nuggets	0-0
Weyerhaeuser Timberwolves	0-0
Realty Clippers	0-0
Scoring:	
Pacers-19, Bulls Va. Nuggets - did not play, Superonics-28/Cavaliers-11, Pistons-17/Trailblazers-15, Clippers Va. Timberwolves did not play.	
9th/4th Grade	

Adams Photography Warriors	1	0
Perez C.P.A. Lakers	1	0
Mac's Drugs Knicks	1	0
Holiday Inn Hornets	1	0
Camp Grayling Bullets	1	0
Cornell Agency Hawks	0	1
Grayling State Bank Bucks	0	1
Bennett Ford Mustangs	0	1
Grayling Fuelgas Heat	0	1
Scheyer Motors Celtics	0	1

Scoring: Warriors - 59 / Hawks - 18, Knicks - 37 / Mustangs - 25, Bulls - 48 / Celtics - 32, Lakers - 48 / Bucks - 14, Hornets - 31 / Heat - 30.

### Pool Leagues

Womens Pool	
Pizza Red Barn	57
7-11	49
Legion	45
Spikes	40

Mens Pool League	Dec. 4th
Legion	51-45
Swamp	78-50
Red Barn	68-40
Hard Times	69-47
Frederic Inn	65-71
Spikes	61-55

## Sports



**JUNIOR VARSITY BASKETBALL TEAM - (L-R)** Eric Bonamie, Chad Ormsbee, Aaron Raymond, Ken Bindscatel, Mark Brannon, Mark Andrus, Eric LaForest, Nick Hebekeuser, Scott Haas, and Mike Kirmo. Kneeling are Chris Millikin, manager, and Coach Butch Hayes.

### JV's Lose Home Opener

The Grayling J.V.'s had a couple chances to win against Kalkaska in their home opener last Saturday, December 9, but lost in the final seconds, 54-52.

Coach Warren "Butch" Hayes commended his team's defensive game and said they had improved

greatly over their season opener with Houghton Lake played on Tuesday, December 5.

Eric LaForest was the team's high scorer with 21 points. Other points were made by: Aaron Raymond 9, Scott Haas 8, Mike Kirmo 8, Eric Bonamie 4, Nick Hebekeuser 2, and Mark Brannon and Chad Ormsbee had 1 point each.

Kirmo and Raymond led steals with five and four respectively.

Raymond led his team in rebounding with 13 and LaForest with 6.

The J.V.'s cut their turnovers from 47 in

their Houghton Lake game to 23 with Kalkaska, but shot a poor 8 for 21 from the free throw line.

On Tuesday night at Houghton Lake, the J.V.'s appeared nervous and played a tentative game against the Bobcats' press and lost, 74-47.

Eric LaForest was high scorer with 15. Other scores were made by: Raymond 10, Ormsbee, Brannon and Mark Andrus with 4 each, Kirmo and Haas 3 each, and Bonamie and Hebekeuser each scored 2 points.

Lead stealers were Bonamie with 5 and

Kirmo with 3.

LaForest led in rebounding with 6, Raymond 5, and Bonamie had 3.

Grayling did not shoot well at the line, scoring only 15 for 37.

"The J.V.'s did not have a good start for their season opener," said Coach Hayes, "but they showed improvement on Saturday and that is what we need. The kids are working hard."

The J.V.'s travel to Cheboygan on Friday, and play their home game at the Grayling High School against Charlevoix Tuesday, December 19.

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## Wrestlers Open Season Thursday at GMS Gym

The GHS Matmen will open their 1989-90 season on Thursday, December 14, when they host Charlevoix at the Grayling Middle School gymnasium at 6 p.m.

The team, led by Coach Don Ferguson, has nine returning lettermen. Senior members include: Terry Sorenson and Kevin Austin. Juniors are: Denny Springer, Todd Thorsen, Doug Doty, Andy Moore and Joe LaForest. Chad Broeker and Don Baker are the team's returning sophomores.

New members on the team are seniors: Pat Gizinski, Jeremie Harwood and Robert Tinker. Juniors are: Brent Day, Paul Sancier and Jason Thayer. Freshmen on the team include:

Brian Calkins, Sam Mack, Dan Jurkovich, Chad Gorman, Gregory Dorman and Tom Schweizer.

"The team is young and inexperienced," said Ferguson, "but as the season goes on they will gain experience and physical conditioning. We graduated a lot of kids from last year's team," he said.

Grayling will be participating in an important 12 team tournament at the Roscommon High School on Saturday, December 16. Weigh-in is at 8 a.m. with matches to begin at 10 a.m.

Schools participating in the tournament are: Elk Rapids, Gaylord, Gladwin, Glen Lake, Grayling, Manistee

Catholic, Michigan Lutheran Seminary, Ogemaw Heights, Onaway, Tawas, Wittenore-Prentiss and Roscommon.

The Grayling J.V.'s participated in their first meet last Saturday, December 9, at Oscoda, and took two first places.

Kevin Austin, at 160 and Tom Schweizer, at 189, won all four matches.

Taking second place were Dan Jurkovich, 112, and Don Baker, 152, taking 3 and 1.

Third place winner was Greg Dorman, taking 3 and 2.

Placing fourth was Brent Day, 180, with a 2 and 2 record.

Ferguson said the match was important because it gave the wrestlers valuable experience.

## Ojala Earns Honorable Mention All-State

Melanie Ojala, Grayling High School senior, was given honorable mention on the Associated Press All State Girls Basketball Team.

"This honor is a 'first' since I began coaching girls basketball at Grayling," said Varsity Coach Howard Lehti.

Four Grayling girls were honored by coaches of the Michigan Huron Shores Conference by being named to the All Conference Team at its conference banquet held Tuesday, November 28.

Melanie Ojala and Heather Stephenson, a junior, were named

Most Valuable Players (MVP) on the All Conference First Team and Nikki Morrill, junior, and Michelle Burcham, a sophomore, received honorable mention.

The following players received local recognition by their coaches and teammates: Most Valuable Player - Melanie Ojala and Heather Stephenson; Most Improved - Michelle Burcham and Nikki Morrill; Honorary Team Captain - Melanie Ojala; 110% Hustle Award - Lisa Barber; Spirit Award - Ann Petrosky, and Unity Award - Margarita Perez. (This award was new

this year and was given to the player whose efforts helped the most to keep the team together).

Scholastic Awards - Melanie Ojala and Margarita Perez. Both players maintained a 4.0 grade point average during the basketball season.

The Grayling team placed third in the conference this season, first among the Class C schools, and came in first in defense giving up an average of only 42.6 points per game.

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Murdoch's Pudge	102 1/2
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Moose Lodge	80 1/2
Team #7	80 1/2

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Drakes	56-50
Total	24 1/2-21 1/2
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Rochettes	20 1/2-24 1/2
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Garys Drywall	20-24
Mersey Hospital	10 1/2-40 1/2

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## Obituaries

### Eltie Hutson

Eltie P. Hutson, 81, of Roscommon, died December 8, 1989, in Petoskey, Michigan. Funeral services were held December 8, 1989, at the Steuermol-Axford-McLaren Funeral Home in Roscommon with Pastor William VanKleeck officiating. Burial was at Crestview in Markey Township.

Mrs. Hutson was born on June 30, 1908, to Rueben and Leona Hurt in Hardin, Kentucky. She lived in

Roscommon for 21 years and previously lived in Houghton Lake. She was a member of the Immanuel Baptist church in Roscommon.

Survivors include two daughters; Etta Ragan of Roscommon, and Hilda Ragan of Woodhaven, Michigan, 8 grandchildren, and 19 great grandchildren.

### Anna Sheppard

Anna Mae Sheppard, 65, of St. Helen, died December 9, 1989, at

Mercy Hospital, Grayling. Funeral services will be held December 13, 1989, at 1:30 p.m. at Steuermol-Axford-McLaren Funeral Home in Roscommon with Rev. Thomas Mayne officiating.

Mrs. Sheppard was born in Grayling on May 3, 1924. She spent most of her life in Roscommon County. She was employed at Ran Central Abstract in St. Helen.

Survivors include one son; Ralph of

Grayling, one daughter; Bobbie Lou Petoskey of Traverse City, mother; Hazel of Roscommon, mother-in-law; Salome Sheppard of Roscommon, one sister; Bobbie Lou Cutler of Rialto, California, two brothers; Ralph Chamberlain of Farmington, and Robert Darroch of Levittown, PA.

She was preceded in death by husband Robert who died in 1976 and a daughter Dianna who died in 1978.

The family asks that memorial contributions be made to the American Lung Assoc.

### Mary Linto

Mary M. Linto, 65, of Maple Forest Township died Saturday, December 9, 1989, at Mercy Hospital. Funeral Services were Tuesday, December 12, 1989, at Mt. Hope Lutheran Church, Grayling, with the Reverend Daniel Lochner officiating. Burial will be at Cadillac Memorial Gardens, East, in Mt. Clemens, Michigan.

Mary Linto was born on September 19, 1924, to Hugh and Margaret (Munro Hymers Bly) MacDougall in Edinburgh, Scotland. She resided as a homemaker in Maple Forest Township with her husband Frank W. Linto. Her previous residence was Warren, Michigan. She was a member of Mt. Hope Lutheran Church in Grayling.

Survivors include her husband, Frank W. Linto; one daughter Carol Zagorowska of Detroit, two sons; Frank G. Linto of Victorville, California, and Edward H. Linto of San Jose, California, mother Margaret MacDougall of Edinburgh, Scotland, sister Elizabeth MacDougall of Edinburgh, Scotland, brother Hugh MacDougall of Devon, England, and six grandchildren.

Mrs. Linto was preceded in death by her father, Hugh, and sister, Margaret Edmondson.

is survived by her husband Causby Hankins; her children Mr. Jack Hankins, Mr. Larry Hankins, Mrs. Scott (Cheri) Gentry, Mrs. Gary (Gale) Vandawalker, and Mr. Patrick Hankins; brothers and sisters Mrs. Aree Coons, Mrs. Helen Irene Polasek, Mrs. Velma Taylor, Mr. Archie Moore, Mr. Ralph Moore, Mr. Arnold Moore, and Mr. Ronald Moore; 13 grandchildren and 12 great grandchildren.

Services were held Thursday, December 7, 1989, at Coats Funeral Home in Drayton Plains with interment following at the Ottawa Park Cemetery in Waterford. Mrs. Hankins had been a member of the "Song Birds" and the "Kitchen Band". She also worked as a coordinator with the Crawford County Commission on Aging.

### Thank You

We the senior citizens of Crawford County owe a debt of gratitude to all who participated in making December 10th a memorable day for all of us.

The luncheon was delicious, the hospitality gracious, and the cordial welcome a truly bright spot on an otherwise rather gloomy Sunday afternoon. The singing and the gifts were deeply appreciated.

Yes, Virginia, there are still those with Christmas in their hearts.

Thanks Again,  
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### Melroy Wins \$100 Drawing

Dale Melroy of Grayling won \$100 in the Lions club weekly drawing Friday.

### Joyce Hankins

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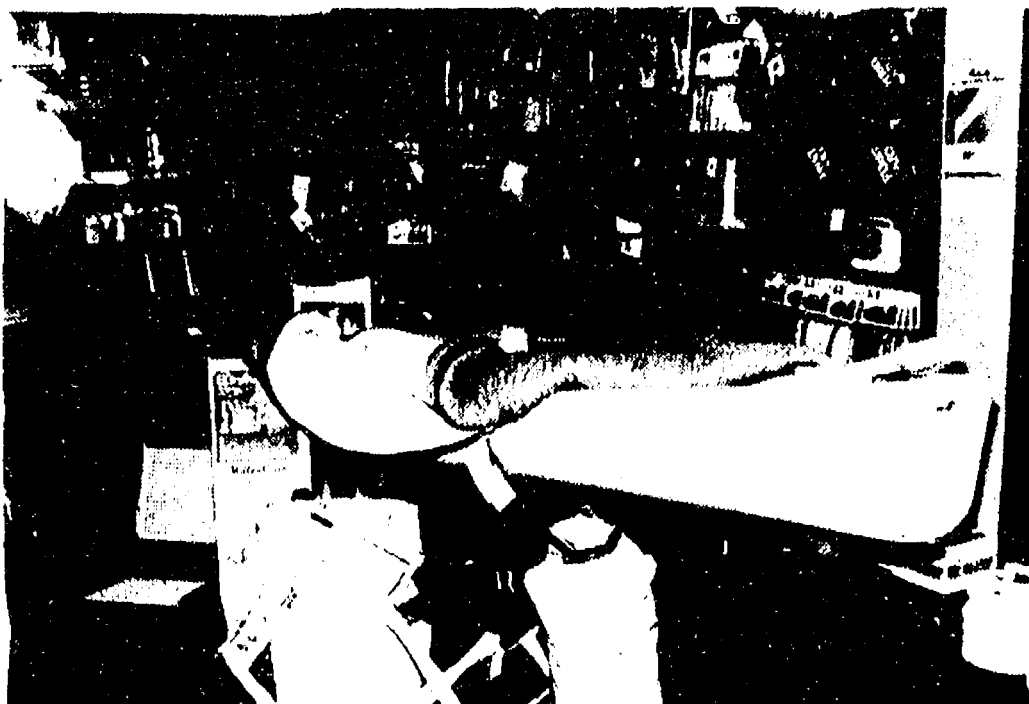
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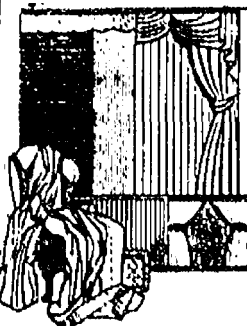
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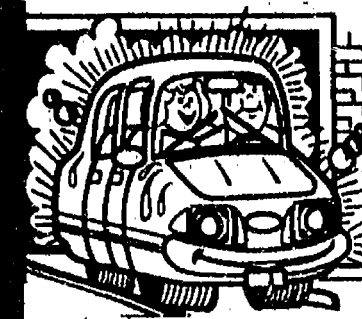
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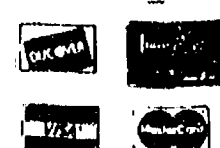
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## GPA Carolers Add Christmas Spirit

Grayling Promotional Association has expanded its activity to add another dimension to their goal of full cooperation with the business community and the promotion of the Grayling area.

During the Christmas Walk held November 12th, the GPA singers traveled the streets and visited cooperating businesses singing Christmas carols. Again, on November 24th, as the

children awaited Santa's arrival, the GPA singers filled in for the usual entertainment and sang their songs - including a special encore for Santa.

If you're a business person in Grayling and don't already belong to GPA, send a representative to any meeting and find out what GPA is all about. Meetings are held every Tuesday at noon at the Chief Shoppenagon Hotel.

## Kiefer Earns MTU Honors

James Kiefer, of Grayling, was named to the Dean's List at Michigan Technological University for the fall quarter. Kiefer, a junior in Civil Engineering, earned a straight A average.

### Thank You

I would like to thank those who sent flowers and cards during my recent illness. Also special thanks to Dr. Howell, the great team in the emergency room and the I.C.U. personnel.

My sincere thanks,  
Don Millikin

## AARP Meets December 18

The Crawford County Chapter of the American Association of Retired Persons will hold its December meeting on Monday the 18th at 308 Lawndale at noon. This will be a pot luck. Please bring a dish to pass and your own table service.

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They'll see that you get full measure  
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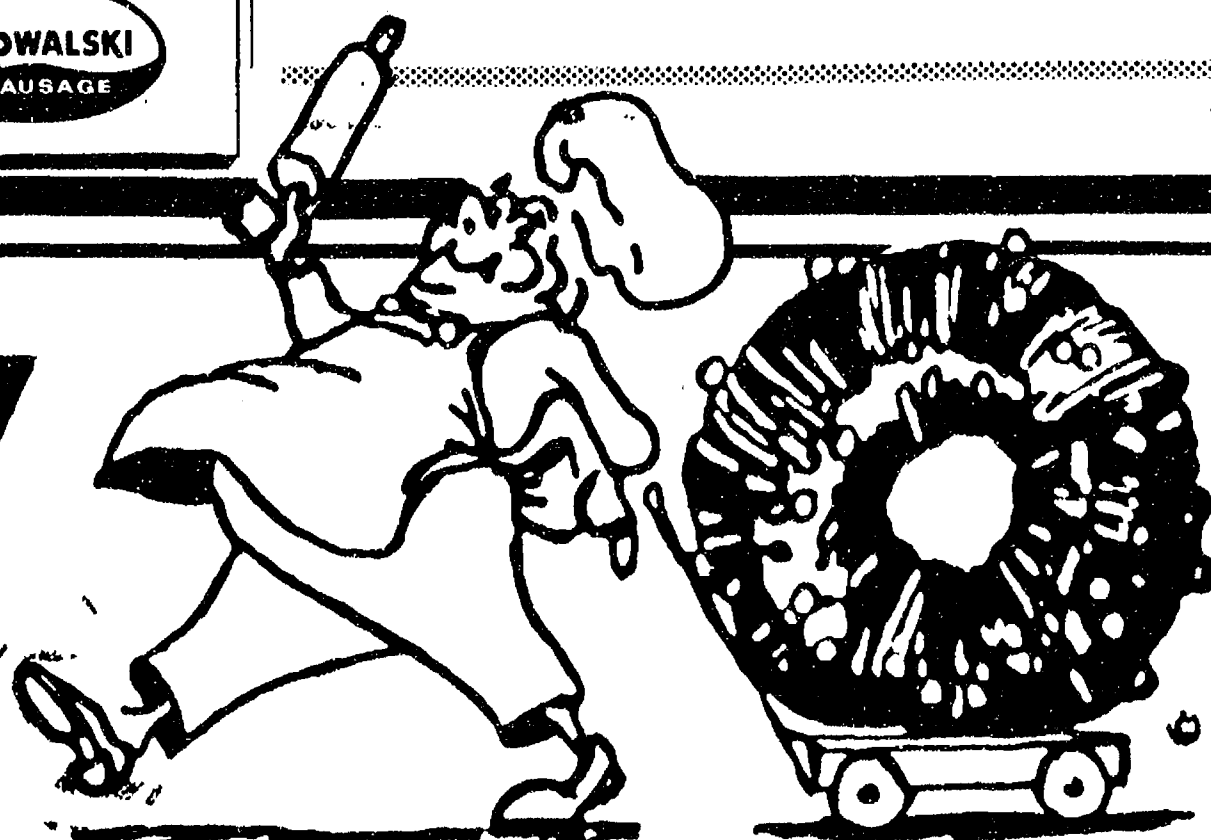
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## NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

A public hearing will be held by the Crawford County Board of Commissioners on Wednesday, December 13, 1989 at 7:00 p.m. for the purpose of accepting oral and written comments regarding the adoption of a general fund budget, special revenue fund budgets and debt service fund budgets.

A summary of the 1990 proposed Crawford County Budgets listed above will be available for public inspection during regular business hours at the office of the Crawford County Clerk after December 6, 1989. The public hearing will be conducted in the Circuit Court Room in the County Building, in Grayling, Michigan.

Elizabeth H. Wieland  
County Clerk/Registrar of Deeds  
December 1, 1989

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## Bits of Talk

John and Irene Lennon of St. Petersburg, Florida, were guests of honor for their Golden Wedding Anniversary at a surprise party and dinner hosted by their son and wife, Bruce and Beth Lennon on Saturday, November 18, 1989. The party was held at the home of Bruce and Beth in St. Petersburg and attended by all ten of their children and their spouses. Other guests were relatives and close friends from St. Petersburg and Ft. Myers. Their children in attendance were Don and Jan Larson, Denise Lennon, Bruce and Beth Lennon and Jerry Lennon, all of St. Petersburg; Willard and Karen Lawrence of Bay City; Charles and Margaret Lennon of Freeland; Milt and Sherry Olds of Belleville; Kerry and Lori Palmer of Kaleva; Terry and Debbie Fitzpatrick of Bay City; Richard and Nanette Ferrigan of Grayling. Ten of their 23 grandchildren were in attendance. They also have 3 great grandchildren.

The following day all of the family attended Sunday Mass at St. Paul's and the wedding anniversary was announced there.

John Lennon and the former Irene McKinnon were married on November 21, 1989 in Hurley, Wisconsin. Before retiring and moving to St. Petersburg in 1978 they lived in Grayling for 14 years.

Most of the family stayed on in Florida and spent Thanksgiving with their parents.

## Thank You

Brett Stockton would like to thank the following for their contributions to the Olympic Quest dinner held November 25, 1989: Knights of Columbus, Grayling Restaurant, Spikes Keg O Nails, Rochettes, Glen's Market, Goodales Bakery, Carlisle Pad-die Co., Free Wheelin' Fred, Grayling Youth Booster Club, Ray's Canoe Livery and Fly Shop, Gates Lodge, Cross Country Ski Headquarters, Crawford County Avalanche, Cornell Real Estate & Insurance, Mac's Drugs and Upper Lakes Tire.

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**SATURDAY**  
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**SUNDAY**  
1:30 p.m.-8:00 p.m.  
Luzerne  
American Legion

**SUNDAY**  
6:30-11 p.m.  
AMVETS Post 13  
AuSable Rd. off Old 27  
(SW side of Higgins Lake)  
Higgins Lake

**MONDAY**  
Hanson Hills  
7:00 p.m.  
At the K of C Hall  
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**TUESDAY**  
7:00 p.m.  
Grayling  
Booster Club  
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**WEDNESDAY**  
8:30 to 11 p.m.  
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**WEDNESDAY**  
8:30 p.m.  
St. Francis of Assisi  
Church, Lawiston

**THURSDAY**  
American  
Legion Hall  
Post 108  
7:00 p.m.  
Grayling

**FRIDAY**  
7:00 p.m.  
Grayling  
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## BINGO

## Poet's Corner



### For My Grandfather Jack Rasmussen Who Has Taught Me

About things important to him,  
Important to me.  
We sit and talk.  
Discuss our ancestry.  
His parents  
His childhood years  
The Danish people  
And their customs.  
Careers-  
The Military  
The importance  
Of education.  
Together we watch  
Shows on nature  
and wildlife.  
When I was little  
He baby-sat me.  
But of all the  
Love he gave,  
He gave me  
Something more.  
For my grandfather  
Has taught me the  
Great joy of  
Laughter.

by Bethany Bobenmoyer

## Camp Grayling Range Firing

Range firing will be conducted at Camp Grayling in the following areas:  
The Range 40 Complex located North of County Rd 612, East of Guthrie Lake, South of Old State Rd 618, and West of County Rd 697 (Twin Bridge Rd). Firing will be from 8:00 a.m. (daily) to 12:00 midnight (daily) from Dec. 18 through Dec. 19, and Dec. 19 through Dec. 20.

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# LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION SCHOOL ELECTION

## NOTICE OF LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION OF THE ELECTORS OF

Crawford AuSable School District, Crawford, Otsego and Kalkaska Counties, Michigan Fairview Area Schools, Oscoda and Alcona Counties, Michigan Gerrish-Higgins School District, Roscommon and Crawford Counties, Michigan Houghton Lake Community Schools, Roscommon and Missaukee Counties, Michigan Lake City Area School, Missaukee County, Michigan McBain Rural Agricultural School, Missaukee, Wexford, Clare and Osceola Counties, Michigan Mio AuSable Schools, Oscoda County, Michigan West Branch-Rose City Area Schools, Ogemaw, Gladwin and Oscoda Counties, Michigan

## TO THE ELECTORS OF EACH SCHOOL DISTRICT:

Please Take Notice that the Boards of Education of the above named school districts, pursuant to a directive from the Board of Trustees of Kirtland Community College, Michigan, have called special elections to be held in each of the districts on

**TUESDAY, JANUARY 23, 1990**

Take Notice that the purpose of the special elections is to vote on the following proposition:

## PROPOSITION TO INCREASE AUTHORIZED ANNUAL TAX RATE

Shall the charter tax rate limitation previously approved by the electors of Kirtland Community College, Michigan, be increased by 1 1/2 mills (\$1.50 per \$1,000.00 of state equalized valuation) for the year 1990 and thereafter, to be used for all purposes authorized by law?

THE LAST DAY ON WHICH PERSONS MAY REGISTER WITH THE APPROPRIATE CITY OR TOWNSHIP CLERKS, IN ORDER TO BE ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT THE SPECIAL COMMUNITY COLLEGE ELECTION CALLED TO BE HELD ON TUESDAY, JANUARY 23, 1990, IS

**TUESDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1989.**

PERSONS REGISTERING AFTER 5:00 O'CLOCK, P.M. ON TUESDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1989, ARE NOT ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT THE SPECIAL COMMUNITY COLLEGE ELECTION.

Persons planning to register with the respective city or township clerks must ascertain the days and hours on which the clerks' offices are open for registration.

This Notice is given by order of the Boards of Education.

Rodney Lobsinger, Secretary  
Crawford AuSable School District

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Lake City Area School

Margaret Hershberger, Secretary  
Fairview Area Schools

Carol Brunink, Secretary  
McBain Rural Agricultural School

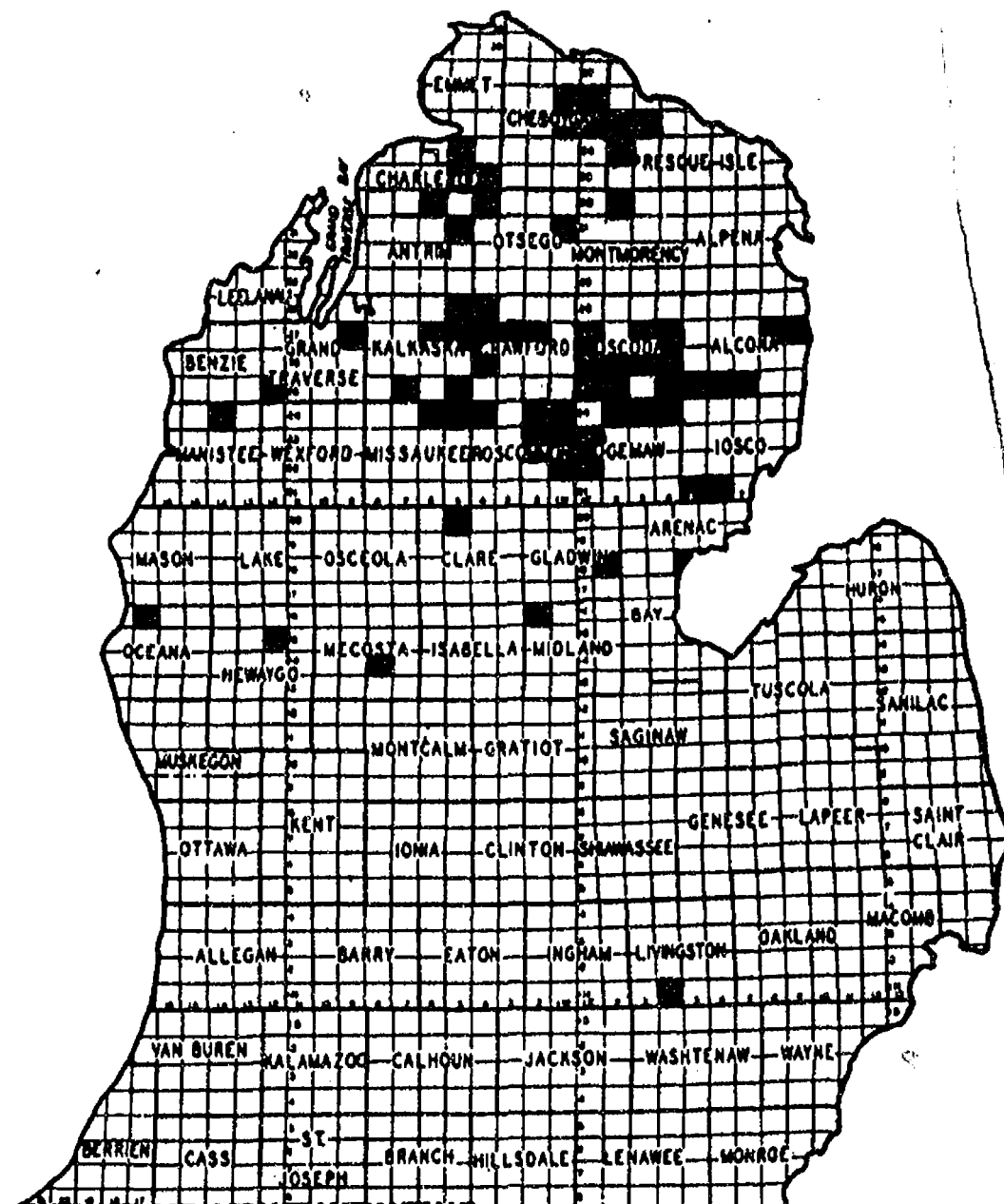
Kathleen Jernigan, Secretary  
Gerrish-Higgins School District

Nancy Oliver, Secretary  
Mio AuSable Schools

Janet Z. Manley, Secretary  
Houghton Lake Community Schools

Kathryn M. Curtis, Secretary  
West Branch-Rose City Area Schools

## STATE OF MICHIGAN NOTICE OF PROPOSED OIL AND GAS LEASE SALE CLASSIFICATIONS OF STATE-OWNED LANDS



The Department of Natural Resources (DNR) proposes to offer at public auction sale, oil and gas lease rights in 95,364 acres of State-owned minerals within the areas shaded on the above map. The lands have been classified as "development" or "nondevelopment". A "nondevelopment" lease classification means that use of the surface is prohibited unless expressly authorized by the Natural Resources Commission. A "development" lease classification means that the surface can be utilized for operations under the lease providing the lessee has first obtained a drilling permit from the State Supervisor of Wells. All leases contain a provision for payment of reasonable damages claimed by the surface owner for any losses resulting from operations under the lease. The lands under consideration for leasing are located in the following counties and townships:

**ALCONA:** Curtis, Mikado, Hayes, Haynes, (T25N, R. 5, 6 & 7E, T27N, R. 8 & 9E)  
**ANTRIM:** Warner, (T31N, R5W)  
**ARETHUS:** Standish, (T18N, R5E)  
**CHARLEVOIX:** Hudson, Wilson, Chandler, Melrose, (T32N, R. 4 & 6W, T33N, R. 4 & 5W)  
**CHESHOYAN:** Waverly, Koehler, Grant, Aloha, (T35N, R. 1E & 1W, T36N, R. 1E & 1W)  
**CLARE:** Summerfield, (T20N, R5W)  
**CRAWFORD:** Grayling, Frederic, (T26N, R4W, T27N, R. 2, 3 & 4W, T28N, R4W)  
**EMMET:** Bear Creek, (T34N, R5W)  
**GLADWIN:** Grim, (T18N, R2E)  
**GR TRAVERSE:** Grant, Acme, (T25N, R12W, T27N, R9W)  
**OSCEOLA:** Burleigh, Sherman, (T21N, R. 5 & 6E)  
**KALKASKA:** Garfield, Bear Lake, Excelsior, Blue Lake, (T25N, R. 5 & 7W, T27N, R. 5 & 6W, T28N, R5W)  
**LIVINGSTON:** Putnam, (T1N, R4E)  
**MANISTEE:** Springdale, (T24N, R14W)  
**MECOSTA:** Morton, (T14N, R6W)  
**MISSAUKIE:** Norwich, (T24N, R. 5 & 6W)  
**MONTMORENCY:** Montmorency, (T32N, R2E)  
**NEWAYGO:** Monroe, (T15N, R12W)  
**OCEANA:** Weare, (T16N, R17W)  
**OGEMAW:** Ogemaw, Foster, Rose, Goodar, (T22N, R1E, T23N, R1E, T24N, R. 2 - 4E)  
**OSCEOLA:** Big Creek, Mentor, Greenwood, Comins, (T25N, R. 1, 2 & 4E, T26N, R. 1-4E, T27N, R. 1, 3 & 4E)  
**OTSEGO:** Charlton, (T31N, R1W)  
**PRESELE:** Allie, North Allie, Ocqueoc, (T34N, R2E, T35N, R. 2 & 3E)  
**ROSCOMMON:** Richfield, Higgins, AuSable, Lyon, (T22N, R1W, T23N, R. 1 & 2W, T24N, R. 1, 2 & 4W)

Surface owners of lands where the State-owned mineral rights are being offered will be notified prior to the lease sale.

Detailed maps showing the location of the lands proposed to be offered at the sale, and their classification, are available for review by all interested parties in the following State of Michigan DNR offices: Forest Management Division, Stevens T. Mason Building, Lansing; DNR Regional Headquarters located at 8717 N. Roscommon Road, Roscommon; General Office Building, Third Floor, State Secondary Complex, Diamond Lake; Michigan DNR District offices located at 1732 W. M-32, Gaylord; 8015 S. 131 Road, Cadillac; 191 S. Mt. Tom Road, Mio; 503 N. Euclid Avenue, Suite 9, Bay City; and 350 Ottawa, NW, 6th Floor, Grand Rapids.

Maps may also be obtained by submitting to the Forest Management Division, DNR, Box 30028, Lansing, MI 48909, a stamped, pre-addressed envelope for each township for which a map is desired. THE NAME OF THE COUNTY, TOWNSHIP, TOWNSHIP AND RANGE NUMBERS MUST BE CLEARLY IDENTIFIED IN THE LOWER LEFT-HAND CORNER OF EACH ENVELOPE. If maps for all of these townships are desired, please contact the Real Estate Division, Box 30028, Lansing, Michigan 48909, (517/373-7663).

Written comments by interested parties relative to the classification of any description must be received by the Forest Management Division at the address specified above NOT LATER THAN January 31, 1990. Any requests for change in classification must specify the reason, and will be considered by the Department prior to offering the lease rights at public auction, with final classification to be set at the sole discretion of the Natural Resources Commission.



# FOOTBALL Contest

## 1st Place Wins \$50 Each Week!

Out of 100 entries Aaron Raymond beat everyone guessing 17 games correct. Louis Daup had 16 correct. Guessing 15 correct were Michael Stuck, Mark Hartman, Patrick Cefelli, Lisa Kelly, and Irene Wyman. Game numbers 3 and 4 were ties so everyone received credit on them.

Most people had problems with the "double trouble" games with Navy beating Army and Detroit upsetting Chicago. Raymond earned all 8 points on his "double trouble" games to help him win.

In the overall contest there are fifteen people within twenty points of the totals leader, Mike McNamara. He holds the lead with 201 total points. Right behind him with 198 is Heidi Mead. Arthur Thayer and Mick McNamara have 184; Gary Derenzy has 193; Douglas Donaldson has 189; Ken Wyman, Ace Worden, Marie St. Germain, Heather

Derenzy, and Carol Conklin have 187; Bob Winger has 186; Paul Hartman has 185; Warren Galvani, Julie Fagan, and Paula Derenzy have 184.

With the college football regular season over, the bowl games appearing in this week's paper will be the last games for this season's Avalanche Football contest. The entry form for the bowl games must be turned in by Friday 5 p.m., Dec. 22. The weekly winner for the bowl games and this year's overall winner will be announced in the Jan. 4th Avalanche.

Scores Dec. 9-10			
Navy 19	Army 17	Pittsburgh 13	Jets 0
Air Force 35	Hawaii 35	Washington 26	San Diego 21
Minnesota 43	Atlanta 17	Seattle 24	Cincinnati 17
Indianapolis 23	Cleveland 17	Houston 20	Tampa Bay 17
Philadelphia 20	Dallas 10	Miami 31	New England 10
Kansas City 21	Green Bay 3	San Fran. 30	L.A. Rams 27
New Orleans 22	Buffalo 19	New York Giants 14	Denver 7
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Game 16

Game 17

Game 18

Game 19

Game 20

Tiebreaker 1 (total points scored in game 1)

Tiebreaker 2 (total points scored in game 20)

#### Football Contest Official Rules

- Contestants must list the advertiser in which each game is found. Entry blanks without advertisers listed will be invalid.
- One entry per person a week will be accepted. Crawford Co. Avalanche employees are not eligible.
- Completed entry blanks must be returned to the Avalanche no later than 5 p.m. Friday before each week's games. Mailed en-

- tries must be postmarked no later than 5 p.m. Friday.
- Entries must be on an official entry blank as printed in the Avalanche.
- Winners may claim their prizes at the Avalanche office between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. weekdays. Identification and a social security number must be presented when claiming a prize.

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## More than 400 Lights On 'Lights of Love' Tree

The young voices of the Grayling Elementary School Choir will add a special touch to the Lights of Love Tree Lighting Ceremony on Friday evening, Dec. 15, at Mercy Hospital/Grayling. Mercy Hospital Auxiliary invites area residents and visitors to attend the ceremony for the Lights of Love

Tree at 5:30 p.m. in front of the hospital.

Members of the Auxiliary are looking forward to illuminating the large spruce tree located near the entrance sign at Mercy Hospital. The voices of more than 100 children from the Elementary School Choir will add a special touch for the gathering of Auxiliaries, hospital staff, and family and friends of those honored on the Lights of Love Tree.

Dennis Renander, President and Chief Executive Officer of Mercy Health Services North, and Helen Leykauf, President of the Mercy Hospital Auxiliary, will officiate the ceremony.

"Response from individuals, businesses

and organizations to this project has been excellent," reports Joyce Vogelsberg, Chairperson of the Lights of Love project. "We anticipate lighting at least 400 lights thanks to donations we have now, with the excitement growing as the day of the lighting approaches."

Those wishing to honor or memorialize a loved one may continue to do so as the Christmas season progresses. Donations will still be accepted and lights illuminated following the tree lighting ceremony. For more information, or to obtain a giving envelope call Donna Pflum, Coordinator of Volunteer Services, at 348-5461, ext. 193.

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## The Bible Speaks

From Calvary Baptist Church

### Red or Dead? Slavery or Liberty

Some of you may remember the above title to an article written several years ago which stirred considerable controversy when a local educator challenged the reasonableness of our position publicly. We then assured everyone, "Future events in prophecy already foretold in the Bible assure us this planet does not face nuclear self-destruction as the prophets of doom forecast." We said, "To have rejected bows and arrows for clubs, or gunpowder for bows and arrows would have been just as stupid for our ancestors as it would be for us to reject nuclear weapons today in the face of a Communist threat of conquest."

Had America listened to the liberals of the 60's and 70's and disarmed our nation under the threat of Communism, we would all be living closer to total slavery today. However, since conservatives were able to hold the line for a strong defense, today we see people in slavery under Communism gaining a new birth of freedom and liberty. Soon it may be said that the only true Communists in the world may be found in isolated, idealistic towers in American universities. There is documented evidence that the underlying philosophy promoted by the educational hierarchy in America is still supportive of Marxism and critical of Capitalism. However, the end of

the iron curtain or wall between Communism and freedom does not mark an end to our international danger. The communists in Russia still have weapons and their goal of world conquest has never been recanted. The communist battle over Central America is still much alive.

Assuming the communists shall continue to be passive toward capitalists in an attempt to gain food, technology, and investments of wealth, we still face a renewed push for globalism or one world government. We can expect both conservatives and liberals to join hands to create a united one world government to protect all nations from the threat of any aggressor nation. There will follow a

push to disarm all nations and citizens. The stage will then be set for the worst holocaust in human history. The antichrist will arise and, "by peace shall destroy many." (Daniel 8:25).

Remember the words we wrote years ago at the close of the article Red or Dead? "Please don't be deceived by the peace cries of the political and religious liberals of our day!!! We still have a biblical alternative to communist slavery." By a return to Bible standards we can offer hope of freedom and liberty to our children and grandchildren for yet another generation. The alternative is Communism, Socialism, or Secular Humanism which will end in slavery and

death. (Hear "The Bible Speaks" at 12:15 p.m. Tuesday on WQON 100 FM).

Pastor "B"

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Send name, address, and age to  
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or Call (517) 348-4966

**MAGNETIC SIGNS**  
348-6811

## CHURCH DIRECTORY

Sunday  
Isaiah  
9:1-7  
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23:1-8

## Born Under a Star

Scriptures Selected by  
The American Bible Society

He was an extremely soft spoken and quiet person. He loved being a free spirit. When it came to what had to be done, there were no complaints.  
He was a good boy. Never worried his parents. Well, maybe once when he strayed away from them in the big city.  
He liked to fish. He was a great fisherman. He and twelve other companions were always fishing every chance they could get.  
He was a forgiving person and loved people very much. He had compassion for the handicapped. He helped the blind and lame, and all that were sick. His schedule was busy, but he still found time to help.  
He wasn't really cut out for the humble craft of his father's trade. He wanted to be a teacher and set an example for all to follow. He was a teller of stories. People listened and learned from him.  
He is very well known to this day. As a matter of fact, there is a book written about the things he did and said and taught.  
He died young. Perhaps you know of him. He was a "Carpenter's Son."

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**First Baptist Church of Frederic**  
Sunday School.....9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship.....11 a.m.  
Evening Worship.....7 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer & Bible Study 7 p.m.

**Christ Missionary**  
Minister H.A. Hennig  
4 Mt. East of Frederic  
On County Rd. 612  
Sunday School.....10 a.m.  
Worship & Praise.....11 a.m.  
Sunday Evening Service  
Winter.....6 p.m.  
Summer.....7 p.m.  
Wednesday Prayer, Bible Study  
Winter.....6 p.m.  
Summer.....7 p.m.

**Christian Science Society**  
209 First St., Suite 103  
Gaylord  
Sunday Service.....10:30 a.m.  
Wednesday Service.....8:00 p.m.

**Church of The Nazarene**  
Pastor Todd P. Batzloff  
4250 East M-72, 348-5089  
Sunday School.....9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship.....11 a.m.  
Evening Worship.....6 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer.....7 p.m.

**Seventh Day Adventist**  
Pastor, Arthur Myers  
Phone 348-5491  
Services held Saturday at Camp  
Ausable in 1st building on the  
right off new entrance road.  
Church Service.....9:30 a.m.  
Sabbath School.....10:30 a.m.  
Prayer Meeting Tues.....7 p.m.

**Grayling Assembly of God**  
Rev. Ron Voelker, Pastor  
Old 27 North, 701 Grayling Rd.  
Church - 348-8885  
Parsonage 348-2588  
Sunday School.....10 a.m.  
Morning Worship.....11 a.m.  
Evening Service.....6 p.m.  
Wednesday - Family Night  
Adult-Youth-Children Sessions  
7:00 p.m.

**Heritage Baptist**  
Pastor Jim Van Lier - 348-7689  
1841 Hartwick Pines Rd.  
1/4 mile west of I-75  
Sunday School.....9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship.....11 a.m.  
Evening Worship.....6 p.m.  
Wednesday.....7 p.m.

**St. John Evangelical Lutheran (ELCA)**  
Rev. Robert A. Gordon  
710 Spruce St. - Ph. 348-5224  
Sunday School.....9:30 a.m.  
Worship Service.....11 a.m.  
Women's Crafts  
Group.....Tues., 1 p.m.  
Choir Practice.....Tues., 7:30 p.m.

**Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints**  
Pastor Lacey Stephan, Jr.  
Corner of North Down River Rd.  
and South Millikin Rd.  
Church School.....9:45 a.m.  
Preaching.....11 a.m.  
Midweek Service Prayer.....7 p.m.

**Gaylord Christian Reformed**  
Rev. V. Schaap  
415 Ohio North  
Sunday School.....9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship.....11 a.m.  
Evening Service.....6 p.m.  
Wed. Bible Study.....7:30 p.m.

**St. Mary's Catholic Church**  
Fr. Michael Conner - 348-7281  
Sr. Maria MacNall O.P.  
348-8318  
702 Peninsula  
Winter Schedule  
Saturdays.....5 p.m.  
Sundays.....9:11 a.m.

**Weekday Mass**  
Tuesday.....8:00 a.m.  
Wednesday.....10 a.m.  
Thursday at Hospital.....8:00 a.m.  
Friday.....8 a.m.  
Confessions Saturday.....4:00 p.m.  
Memorial Day, July 4, Milltown  
weekend & Labor Day - Sat. 5  
p.m. Sun. 8:00, 10:00, 11:30 a.m.

**Christian Science Society**  
Zone 11, 108 James St.  
Houghton Lake  
Sunday Service &  
Sunday School.....11 a.m.

**Lovells Chapel**  
Pastor Gary Hopp  
Sunday School.....10 a.m.  
Chapel Service.....11 a.m.

**Calvary Baptist**  
Pastor Robert Barnett  
M-72 West  
Sunday School.....9:45 a.m.  
Worship Service.....10:30 a.m.  
Evening Worship.....6 p.m.  
Mid-Week Services  
Prayer &  
Awake Club.....Wed., 7 p.m.

**Church of Christ**  
Gordon French - Minister  
Old US 27 at Skyline Rd.  
Ph. 348-8578  
Sunday School.....10:15 a.m.  
Communion & Preaching 11 a.m.  
Sunday Evening.....6 p.m.  
Wed.  
Mid-week Bible Study.....7 p.m.

**Bear Lake Christian**  
M-72 & East Bear Lake Rd.  
Sunday School.....9 a.m.  
Sunday Service.....10 a.m.

**The Church of Christ with the Eliza Message**  
Pastor Dohn E. Weaver  
7882 Kelly Ave. - Frederic  
Sunday Worship.....10:00 a.m.  
Sunday Worship.....7 p.m.  
Wed. Prayer Service.....7 p.m.

**Abundant Life Tabernacle**  
Pastor Don Brigham  
211 Shellenbarger St.  
Grayling, Mich.  
Sunday Morning.....10:00 a.m.  
Wednesday evening.....7:00 p.m.  
Saturday evening.....7:00 p.m.

**Grayling Baptist Church**  
Affiliated with S.B.C.  
Pastor Don Broeker  
Meeting at 801 Michigan Avenue  
(517) 348-2467  
Sunday Bible Study.....9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship.....11 a.m.  
Evening Worship.....6 p.m.  
Wednesday Services.....7 p.m.

**Ausable Valley Church of God**  
Pastor - Marie Cox  
6850 Johnson - Frederic  
Sunday School.....10:15 a.m.  
Morning Worship.....11 a.m.  
Evening Service.....7 p.m.  
Wednesday Prayer Service 7 p.m.  
Potluck Fellowship 2nd Sunday  
each month after  
morning service.

**Free Methodist**  
Joseph Carpenter - Pastor  
6652 W. Kalkaska Rd.  
(M-72 West) - Phone 348-5382  
Sunday School.....10 a.m.  
Morning Worship.....11 a.m.  
Evening Service.....6 p.m.  
Prayer Meeting.....Wed. 7 p.m.

**Jehovah's Witnesses**  
Hal Leas  
Mr. Robert L. Kirt  
Phone 348-4981 - Kingdom Hall  
Public Talk.....Sunday 10 a.m.  
Watch Study.....Sunday 11 a.m.  
Book Study.....Tuesday 8 p.m.  
Ministry School, Thurs. 7:30 p.m.  
Service Meeting, Thurs. 8:30 p.m.

**Mt. Hope Evangelical Lutheran - Missouri Synod**  
Rev. Daniel E. Lochner, Pastor  
906 Old U.S. 27 North  
At the junction of M-88 & Old 27  
Sunday School and  
Adult Bible Class.....9 a.m.  
Sunday Worship.....10:30 a.m.

**St. Francis' Episcopal**  
Vicar: The Rev. Derek J. Roy, Jr.  
M-72 West - Office - 348-5850;  
Rectory - 348-2882  
Sunday Holy Eucharist  
.....8:30 & 10:30 a.m.  
Morning Prayer  
Service.....10:30 a.m.

The second Sunday  
Of Each Month  
Healing Service, On  
The 5th Sunday Of The Month.  
Adult & Children  
Sunday School - 9:30 a.m.  
(except the 1st Sunday  
of the month which  
is Family Sunday)

Sunday nursery  
care provided.....9:30 a.m.  
Monday: Adult Choir  
practice.....7:00 p.m.

**Michelson Memorial United Methodist Church**  
Minister Dr. Dennis N. Paulson  
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Sunday  
Worship Services.....8:30 & 11 a.m.  
Church School.....9:45 a.m.

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**SUPERIOR JANITORIAL SERVICES, INC.**  
Commercial Cleaning Service  
Phone 348-2114

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Louis S. Habyrl D.O.  
1200 N. Down River Rd. - Grayling  
Tel. 517-348-2896

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Grayling, Michigan 49738

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"McDonald's and You"  
Breakfast served until 11 a.m. on Sundays  
I-75 Bus. Loop South - Ph. 348-2269  
Grayling, Michigan 49738

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Complete Insurance Service  
348-6711 • 5688 M-72 West • Grayling

**RUTTER'S ACE LUMBER & BUILDING CENTER**  
6372 M-72 West - Grayling  
Ph. 517/348-2861 or 517/348-2862

**HOSPITALITY HOUSE MOTEL**  
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348-7654 • 2222 So. Grayling Rd.

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Grayling, Mich. 49738

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8	Leonard Pi 8	Chimpunks Smurfs			Mr. Rogers ZooBooks	Wovner Mapleown					Gulligan Bewitched
9	Uncensored Channel	Little House	Rocky And Katie Lee	American Magazine	Seamie Street	Our House	Joan Rivers	Bugs Bunny Bait	Magnum		Little House
10	Innerspace	Perry Mason	Scrabble Concentration	Dinah Top Card	Contact Square One	700 Club	700 Club	Fantasy Island	Family Feud Whl Fortune		Movie To Kill A Mocking Bird
11		Tri/Quil News	Gold/Girls News	VideoCountry Special	Discover		Honda	Joan Rivers	This Right Is Right		
12	Red King, White	I Love Lucy A. Griffith	News Generations	Melody Ranch	Mystery	Talk Amer. Baby	Strangers Loving	Geraldo	Midday Young And		Movie: 'In The Heat Of The Night'
1	Knights	Chips	Days Of News	Theatre Top Card	Nova	All the Campbells	Children	News	Book/Beauty	Aspire Golf	
2	Two Mules For Sister	Happy Days Levin/Shirley	Another World	American Magazine	Computer HomeStretch	Bonanza	One Life To Live	A Divil D Yen Dyke	As The World Turns	Senior PGA Golf	
3	Sara	Q. J. Jones H. Dale	Santa Claus	Dinah Top Card/Chase	ZooBooks Mr. Rogers	Hazel Father Knows	Good Facts/Life Cops	Quentin Light			Tom & Jerry Flinstone
4	Sabar Snowman	Ducklakes Funhouse	Highway To Heaven	Nashville Now	Sesame Street	Fonzle Roger Ramoel	Oprah Winifray	Yogi Bear Ducklakes Family Tree	Wrestling News		Flinstones Brady Bunch Masters
5	Courage Wheeler	DUStrokes Wheeler	People's Ct. News	Special	Square One Contact	Batman	Geraldo	Chig Di Del Funhouse	Benson News	Renegades Racing	Good Times
6	Nutcracker	Who's Boss Facts/Life	News NBC News	American Magazine	Newton's Previews	Hardcastle/ McCormick	Wash ABC News	Char/Charge WKRP	News CBS News	Sports Sportspeak	Inhalines A. Griffith
7	Inside The Double	Who's Boss Facts/Life	Current Aff. Baywatch Feud	Hickory Gourmet	Wash/Week Church	Our House	Wash/Week Judy Lyons	Chatter/ Growth/Pains	News CBS News	Sports Sportspeak	Judds Sanford
8	Mad Exposure	Little House	Baywatch	Wash/Week Church/Chase	Wash/Week Fields Try/Time	Batman Special	Full House Matters	Night Night	Rudolph The Reindeer	Wuolde Magazine	Making Of A Legend/Gene Santoro
9		Billy Krabum	True Blue News	Nashville Now	Singing Ten Of		Wonderful Life	Dances The Dances	Ballaball St. Louis		The Wind
10	Blue Movies	News	Mancuso, FBI	Rock	Macneil/ Lehrer	700 Club	20/20	News	Falcon Creton	At Illinois	Movie Gone With The Wind
11	1st & Ten Kids/Hall	Jafferson Sanford	News Tonight	VideoCountry Crook/Chase	Nashville OH/Record	Batman	News Nightline	Newhart Hill St.	News Pat Sojak	Adventure Sportscenter	Pat & Mike
12		Fall Guy	Show Nashville			Batman	Hard Copy Blues	Show Hill St.			

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8	Shamus	Melanie Smurfs			Mr. Rogers ZooBlee	Womser Mapleown	America	Bozo Show		Business SportsCenter	Gilligan Boatwreck
9		Little House	Reggie And Katie Lee	American Magazine	Seamus Town	Our House	Joan Rivers	Bugs Bunny Bait	Magnum	Yachting	Little House
10	Cocoon: The Return	Perry Mason	Scrabble Concentrat'n	Remodeling Top Card	Contact Square One	700 Club	700 Club	Fantasy Island	Family Feed Whi Fortune	Gymnastics Challenge	Movie: "Miracle On
11		Trial/VJury News	Gold/Girls 227	Videocountry Special	Great Performance	Scott Ross	Home	Joan Rivers	The Price Is Right	Golfing Fil to Night	34th Street
12	Legally Yours	I Love Lucy Arbitration	News Classi-cations	"Happy Tails"	"	"	Strangers Living	Geraldo	Middle-aged BodyMotion	Bodyshaping	Perry Mason
1		CHFS	Days Of Our Lives	Theatre Top Card	"	Chets Campbelle	Arms My Children	News	Reel-And Beauty	Muscle Magazine	Movie: "Rolling
2	Age-Old Friends	Happy Days Lovers	Another Hawaii	American Magazine	Journal Hemstreet	Bonanza	One Life To Live	A Griftin H Van Dyke	As The Wheel Turns	Hill's Drag Racing	Thunder
3	Buy Me A Chair	Girls N' Date	Santa Barbara	Remodeling Crock/Chase	ZooBlee Mr. Rogers	Hazel Father Knows	General Hospital	Facit/Life Guy Beer	Guiding Light	Adventure	Tom & Jerry Flintstones
4	Snowman 3 Worlds Of	Ducktales Furniture	Highway To Heaven	Nashville Now	Seamus Street	Roger Ramjet Felix	Oprah Winfrey	COPS Fatales	Mighty Mouse Fairy Ties	Wrestling	Flintstones Brady Bunch
5	Guliver	Dad/Strikes Water	People's Ct. Now	Special	Secure One Contact	Something Badman	Eno	Chip N Dale Furniture	Benson News	Renealgies NBA Today	Munsters Good Times
6	/Clue	Who's Boss Face/Life	News NBC News	American Magazine	Motorweek Fishing	Hardcastle/ McCormick	Ent Tonight ABC News	Cher/Charge WKRP	News CBS News	Supercross Sportsbook	Hillbills A Griftin
7		Who's Boss	Current Aff Fairy Faud	Videocountry Top Card	Business W America	Our House	Whi Fortune Jury	Cher Night Court	One Grown Pains	Intercenter Sports	Sanford Sanford
8	Cocoon: The Return	Movie: Tba	Matlock	Dinah Crock/Chase	Nova	Movie: "Mother's	Who's Boss Movie/Year	Movie: "Hemingway,	Rescue 911	Top Rank Boxing	Movie: "Chiefs"
9		"	"	"	"	Day"	Roseanne Cool	Part II	Movie: "A"	Movie: "A"	Pl 3
10	Age-Old Friends	News	In The Heat Of The Night	Nashville Now	American Expedience	700 Club	Threesa Something	News	Christmas Gift"	Basketball: Miami	"Execution
11	Red King	Jeffersons Sanford	VideoCountry Crock/Chase	Special	Si, Olaf Christmas	Balman	News Nightline	Newhart Pat Street	News Pat Sajak	Arizona	Of Private Slovak
12	White Night	Fair Guy	Show Terman	Nashville Now	Movie: Tba	Movie: Tba	Blow Corny	Blow Movie:	News Night Heat	SportsCenter Gallery	Movie:

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8	Innerspace	Chimpunks Smurfs			Mr. Rogers Zooobile	Wovwer Mapletown	America	Bozo Show		Business SpotCenter	Gilligan Bewitched
9		Little Kluge	Reggie And Katie Lee	American Magazine	Sesame	Our House	Joan Rivers	Bugs Bunny	Magnum	Aspire	Little Mouse
10	Follow That Bird	Perry Mason	Scrabble Concentration	Kitchen Top Card	Contact Square One	700 Club	700 Club	Fantasy Island	Family Feud Whl Fortune	Gymnastics Challenges	Movie: "Sunshine"
11	Willow	Trail/Johnny 227	Gold/Girls	Videocountry Special	The Explorers	Scott Ross	Home	Joan Rivers	The Price Is Right	Getting Fit Workout	"Christmas"
12		Love Lucy A. Griffin	Midway Generations	Midway Ranch	American	Midway Snapshots	Strangers Loving	Geraldo	Midway Young And	Body/Motion Bodyhaching	Perry Mason
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**Crawford County Road Commission Minutes  
November 10, 1989**

A regular meeting of the Crawford County Road Commission was held in their office in Grayling. Present were: Chairman Norman Parker, Commissioners Gloria Kraus and Clyde Anthony, Engineer-Manager John Keir, Accounting Clerk Joanne Thompson, Chairman of Roads & Bridges Bob Nelson and Irene Pettyjohn of the Crawford County Avalanche.

The minutes of the previous meeting of October 27, 1989 were read. Commissioner Kraus made a motion to accept the minutes seconded by Commissioner Anthony. All voted in favor, minutes approved.

Payroll Voucher number 22 in the amount of \$27,502.89 and Material checks numbered 15777 through 15842 in the amount of \$25,871.40 were ratified.

The bids for the wood chipper were reviewed and it was decided to award the bid to Morbark for \$10,213.84.

Attorney David Sabin appeared at this time and a discussion was held with Mrs. Pettyjohn regarding the offer by King Venture Corporation to purchase the Road Commission property on the Business Loop in Grayling. Several of Mrs. Pettyjohn's questions were answered by the Board member or Mr. Sabin. She is to receive further information not available at this time. She was informed that though an offer was made by King Venture and a thirty day exclusive one party agreement was signed, there are some major items to be completed, one significant one being to approve the final plans from the architect which should be received sometime in January or February. Received today, which needs further review, were some stipulations from King Venture. Given the complexity of the situation the Board will not proceed further on the recommendation of Mr. Sabin until the stipulations are analyzed.

Permits were reviewed and signed as follows: GTE to replace defective cable on North Down River Road in Lovells Township; Consumers Power to install poles and wires at three different locations in Beaver Creek Township; Staley Lake Road, West Four Mile and on South 27; Frontier Exploration to conduct a seismic survey in South Branch Township.

Discussion was held on gravel, top dirt and drainage problems within the county. Also the Board was informed that extensive repairs are needed for a motor grader.

Engineer-Manager Keir informed the Board of the Task Force Meeting he attended earlier this week. Also discussion was held on an encroachment of a county road.

The Board noting that the next meeting would conflict with the Thanksgiving holiday have moved the meeting to November 27, 1989. A notice is to be posted.

There being no further business before the Board, a motion was made and seconded to adjourn. All voted in favor, meeting adjourned.

Joanne Thompson  
Accounting Clerk

Norman L. Parker  
Chairman

**Legal Notice****Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale**

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made December 19, 1984, by Raymond R. Pyle and Kimberly A. Pyle, husband and wife, as mortgagor(s), to the United States of America, as mortgagee, and recorded on December 19, 1984, in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Crawford County, Michigan, in Liber 231 of mortgages on pages 429-432; On which mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid at the date of this Notice Twenty Four Thousand Sixty Five and 29/100 Dollars (\$24,065.29) principal and Two Thousand Two Hundred Seventy Seven and 14/100 Dollars (\$2,277.14) interest; No suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt or any part of the debt secured by said mortgage, and the power of sale contained in said mortgage having become operative by reason of such default; NOW THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given that on January 25, 1990 at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon at the Front steps (east side) of Courthouse in Grayling, Michigan, that being the place for holding the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford, there will be offered for sale and sold to the highest bidder, at public sale, for the purpose of satisfying the amounts due

and unpaid upon said mortgage, together with the legal costs and charges of sale provided by law and in said mortgage, the lands and premises in said mortgage mentioned and described, as follows, to wit:

LAND LOCATED IN THE TOWNSHIP OF GRAYLING, IN THE COUNTY OF CRAWFORD, IN THE STATE OF MICHIGAN, LOT 8, BLOCK 4, GRAYLING PARK SUBDIVISION LOCATED IN THE TOWNSHIP OF GRAYLING, COUNTY OF CRAWFORD, STATE OF

MICHIGAN.

The redemption period will be six months from the foreclosure sale. Property may be redeemed by paying the amount of the bid at the foreclosure sale plus interest and any unpaid encumbrances on the property from date of sale. For additional information, contact UNITED STATES OF AMERICA acting through Farmers Home Administration, 377 S. Mt. Tom Rd., Mio, MI 48847, mortgagee.

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Date: December 14, 1989

Department of Military Affairs has applied for a State Discharge Permit to discharge 1,100,000 gallons per day of treated wastewater, from Camp Grayling via spray irrigation. State discharge permits are issued by the Michigan Water Resources Commission in conformance with the provisions of the Michigan Water Resources Commission Act (Act 245, Public Acts of 1929, as amended, MCL 323.1-323.13).

Based on a review, staff proposes the Michigan Water Resources Commission consider issuance of the proposed permit.

Persons wishing to comment on the proposed permit can submit their remarks in writing to:

**GROUNDWATER SECTION**  
**WASTE MANAGEMENT DIVISION**  
**DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES**  
P.O. BOX 30241  
P.O. BOX 30241  
LANSING, MICHIGAN 48909

Please place the name of the permittee on the first page of submitted comments. All comments received by January 12, 1989 will be considered by the Water Resources Commission. The Water Resources Commission is expected to consider this request at its January 18, 1989 meeting. Water Resources Commission meeting agendas and scheduling information can be obtained from the above address.

The application, briefing memo/fact sheet and other information may be inspected at the Waste Management Division Offices, 1st Floor, South Ottawa Tower, Lansing, Michigan and at the Roscommon District Office located at 8717 N. Roscommon Road, Roscommon, Michigan, telephone 517-275-5151 during normal working hours. A limited number of copies of this Public Notice and a Fact Sheet are available at no cost. Copies of all other information are available at a cost of 5c per page.

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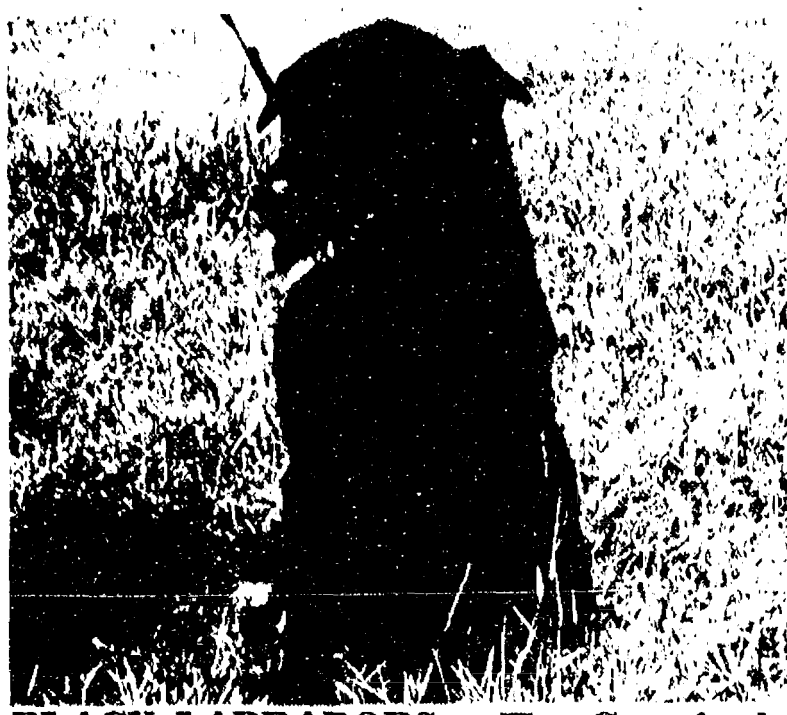
If you haven't dusted off the cross country skis, it is time to do so. A short run on one of the trails, here in the park, would be an excellent break from the stress of the holiday season. The trails are now marked and ready and if you haven't skied our trails before, there are three to suit different skills or physical capabilities. The three trails have a common starting and ending point in the picnic area. You can choose from a three and a half, a five and a half, or a nine mile trail.

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There is little doubt there will be a white Christmas and we here in the land of the Tall Timber wish you a Merry Christmas and a well ordered prosperous New Year.

## Features



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## Verse or Worse

By Joe Murphy

### HUNGER

I have a gnawing hunger  
Not of the meat and potatoes kind  
It's a hunger that's hard to satisfy  
It's a hunger of the mind

Life's so full of unanswered questions  
Maybe I'm just the curious kind  
Seems I'm always facing a problem  
And no explanation can I find

Why in this time of prosperity  
Are our streets filled with drugs and crime  
When back in the days when all were poor  
It was a more peaceful tranquil time

Back in those hard depression days  
Most folks never locked their door  
Most folks worked and helped each other  
Practiced being good neighbors more

Do folks have to be dirt poor to realize  
Just how much friends and family mean  
Why was honesty and trust so important  
Back in those days when times were lean

Now folks lead a fairly easy life  
Most have a little in the banks  
Not many have to worry if they'll eat tomorrow  
But how many fail to bow their head in thanks

It's questions like these that bother me  
That cause me to lie awake at night  
Perhaps our Dear Lord has the answer  
And in his good time will set things right

## Library News

The Crawford Co. Library received generous contributions from the Grayling Lioness Club and the local Auxiliary of the Fraternal Order of Eagles for the purchase of books on tape and large print books. Several new additions have been added to the collections.

The Terry Howell family donated a set of filmstrips "A Merry Mouse Treasury" to the children's library. These will be used for the pre-school story hours. Another donation was a book from Pam Alexander "The magic pumpkin."

The Jack McClain family of Sand Lake gave two memorials "The story of Christmas" for Michael J. McClain and "Paul Jorgensen's book of fly tying" for Lionel Barton McClain.

Daughters, Barbara, Donna, Delores and Dellah donated "Origami for Christmas" for their mother Chrystal Grabach and "Woodworking: projects for the home" for their father Walter Grabach. Ruth and Dave Rhodes presented the library with a book in Ruby Reetz name "Seasonal samplings".

Other memorials were: for Steven Stephan "The art and science of whitetail hunting" from Marge and Gene Case, "Basic freshwater fishing" from W. Jack and Kathleen Lund and "The whitetail deer" from Benjamin and Britni Baker.

Two memorial books were given for Gloria Huber "Price guide to dolls" from John and Madeline Kucharek and "Antique flowers: a guide to using old-fashioned species in contemporary gardens" from the Agnes Post family. A Nick Jorae memorial from Michael and Carolyn DiPonio and sons was "Painting from nature". W. Jack and Kathleen Lund gave "Deer and deer hunting" for Raymond

Calkins, from Mac's Drugs "America's best recipes" for Agnes Bissonette; from Jean and Bill Henderson "Complete guide to sewing" for Ruby Reetz; from Grayling Country Club "Golfing school" for Lamont Hamlin; from Marie and Jim Wiltse "How to do just about anything" for Leo Cavanaugh; from Gordon Baas, Douglas McCann and Ginny Mackey "A dictionary of days" for Murray Lemmen.

Sharon and Bill Klinger made memorial donations of "Illustrated encyclopedia of the butterfly world" for Dagmar Ward, "Philadelphia cream cheese cookbook" for Fern Stinson and "How to develop color photographs" for Leo Cavanaugh. For our books on tape collection "Chick Browdie" was given by Barbara Carlson for Alex Selesky. C. F. Flick and Sons made three donations "China, Land of eternity" for Jess Birtcher, "Cookies for Christmas" for Gloria Huber and "Chilton's easy car care" for Paul Gorten.

Several contributions came from Cornell Insurance and Real Estate for John Corr "Building log homes"; for Clifford Malloy "The world of the polar bear"; for Ellen M. Klug "Book of stencilling"; for Mildred Bristol "Low fat, low cholesterol cookbook"; for Steven Stephan "Hunting ducks and geese"; for Raymond Calkins "Home improvements manual"; for Nels Olson "Legal question and answer book"; for Lamont Hamlin "100 indoor games you can play"; for Gloria Huber "Homemade cookies"; for Samuel Colleen "Popular mechanics home how-to"; for Carl Kellogg "McTaggart's red keel-lumber A-Z"; for Jess Birtcher "East Africa"; for Melvin Quest "Exotic birds";

for Lyle Jewell and materials"; for "Audubon Society Field guide to North American fishes, whales and dolphins"; for Helen Daniels "More from your microwave"; for Jack Waters "Complete guide to air-brushing techniques"

and materials"; for Robert Wargo "Tigers: portrait of a predator" for Agnes Bissonette "Best of baking" and for Nick Shuraleff "Dan McGrew, Sam McGee and other great Service".

### WEEKEND CROSSWORD

THIS WEEK'S PUZZLE ANSWER

ACROSS

1 Bad  
2 Sailor  
3 September, abbr.  
12 Pieter  
13 Desert  
14 Level  
15 Unit of measurement  
16 Trap  
17 Warble  
18 Sunburn  
20 Tune  
22 Thatch  
24 Goddess of peace  
27 Punt in rowing  
28 Essence  
30 Oriental nurse  
31 Star  
32 Imps  
36 Dairy product  
38 Cigar  
40 Contain  
41 Past  
42 Paddle  
43 Laundry  
45 Unit of reluctance  
48 Unfold

DOWN

1 Spritz  
2 Contend  
3 Eisenhower  
4 Epistle  
5 Canned  
6 Topcard  
7 Keop  
8 Private  
9 Peron  
10 Confine  
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12 Exist  
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22 Clocked  
23 Fling  
25 Nuclear weapons  
26 Rubout  
27 Youngster  
29 Look at  
33 Iguana  
34 Ship record  
35 Exhaust  
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45 Present  
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### Your Week Ahead Horoscope

Forecast Period: 12/17 - 12/23/89

**ARIES**  
Mar. 21-Apr. 19

Despite the holiday festivity, your attention focuses strongly on business and financial interests as the close of the year approaches.

**TAURUS**  
Apr. 20-May 20

Legal maneuvers indicate some travel in the near future. Work in some time with friends and family at a distance.

**GEMINI**  
May 21-June 20

Making financial arrangements with a partner could generate friction. Stick to your original plan and events fall in place.

**CANCER**  
June 21-July 22

This is a significant period where relationships are concerned. Don't be too quick to get in too deep.

**LEO**  
July 23-Aug. 22

Health aspects caution against enjoying too much of the holiday spirits. Temperance at this time is a virtue.

**VIRGO**  
Aug. 23-Sept. 22

Happy interests and recreational pleasures are promised, such as love, romance, children, or enjoying the arts in one form or another.

**LIBRA**  
Sept. 23-Oct. 22

The sun enters your solar fourth house this week, emphasizing family activity and action on the home front.

**SCORPIO**  
Oct. 23-Nov. 21

Balancing the needs of family while meeting the demands of the job calls forth extra effort during this busy period.

**SAGITTARIUS**  
Nov. 22-Dec. 21

Get the facts together before you confront a loved one about a financial matter. Hidden expenses do pop up at strange times.

**CAPRICORN**  
Dec. 22-Jan. 19

The perfect gift comes to you, either as the recipient or the giver. Either way, you are captured by its beauty.

**AQUARIUS**  
Jan. 20-Feb. 18

Personal and private matters require attention. Guard health. Resist the temptations of exotic food and drink offered by well-wishers.

**PISCES**  
Feb. 19-Mar. 20

Your social calendar is full and you'll be burning the midnight oil. Avoid speculative matters, or taking careless chances.

## A Look At Our Past

23 Years Ago  
December 8, 1966

Bear Mountain Sports Park was in operation the weekend of December 4th and 5th, forty-five days ahead of last year according to Lewis Stillwagon, President of the Grayling Recreation Area. He said a very large crowd of winter sports enthusiasts enjoyed the new facilities. Between Old Man Winter and the facility's snow machine, there was a six to eighteen inch snow-base and skiing was very good.

Dave Nethers, Grayling High School senior and outstanding gridiron performer for the Vikings was given honorable mention on the Associated Press All State Class C team released on Wednesday, November 30. Nethers won first team all Conference honor for the past two years.

Ten Grayling men were affected by the strike by International Woodworkers Local 3 against the U.S. Plywood Corp. at Gaylord. The union went on strike at 8 a.m. Thursday, December 1. Federal mediators were notified, but officials estimate that it

will be at least a week before a date for mediation would be set.

The Reverend Bertha Davis of Grayling was very pleasantly surprised Saturday evening, November 28, when her grandchildren hosted a celebration for her 80th birthday at the Frederic Town Hall.

Dr. and Mrs. Leonard Allison have a new granddaughter, Suzanne born Wednesday, November 30, to Caroline and Robert Andree at Rockford, Ill. The young lady weighed 7 pounds, 9 ounces on arrival.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton McWilliams moved into their new home in North Park Subdivision. They sold their former home on M-72 West to Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Thompson.

The Frederic rural mail service was extended to the south and west of the post office. Eighteen additional families will be served.

46 Years Ago  
December 9, 1943

A woman was heard to say that she came to Grayling to buy one of those defense plants and learned that our greenhouse had closed.

Wednesday, December 1st, the National League met at the Grange Hall for the annual meeting and potluck luncheon.

Mrs. Alice Benson of Saginaw, National President of the league was the guest of honor. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Pres., Fern Feldhauser, vice-pres., Emma VanNatter, 2nd vice-pres., Bertha Williams, chaplain Doris Palmer, secretary Emma Knibbs, treasurer Elsie LaMotte, marshal, Edna Feldhauser, ass't. marshal, Eureka Stephan, sentinel Helen Wythe.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dawson and son Dick were in Bay City Wednesday on business.

Snow removal was the important topic to come before the meeting of the County Road commission Monday afternoon. Besides the members of the commission there was a large representation of people owning property located along our rivers and other remote places off the county highways. The board members believe their present equipment would not stand up throughout

the winter if snowplowing were not reduced in mileage. Two trucks that had been purchased over a year ago were "frozen" by the OPA just before they were delivered. It is mandatory that the county maintain and keep open for use all post and school bus routes and roads used in defense work. By cutting about 40 miles of private driveways the board believed it could get through the winter.

A motion was offered before the group in which it expressed the wishes of those present that the Commission continue to service private highways as long as their equipment would enable them to. This was passed unanimously. This request was supported with the understanding that in case the equipment were not in condition for service next spring the public would have to endure bumpy roads if necessary.

High School Honor Roll, 2nd term, 1st semester. 12th Grade Patricia Chappel, Connie Charron, Billyann Clippert, Howard DeLaMater, Gloria McDaniell, Caroline Post, Edwina Simpson, James

Small, Dorothy Smith, Mildred Smith, Allan Stevenson, Irene Tahvonen, Nelle Welsh. 11th Grade, Barbara Borchers, Faith Nolan, Burton Peterson. 10th Grade, Ilene Anthony, Jack Boger, Dale Burns, A.J. Charron, Patricia Dunkley, Gloria Feldhauser, Patricia Heric, Louise Kasper, Richard Nelson, Fred Niederer, Beatrice Papendick, Dwight Reava, Hlace Small, Mae Small. 8th Grade, Rose Bishaw, Sally Brady, Margaret Charron, Caroline Nelson, Phyllis Newell, Jean Rasmussen, Roy Reava, Inez Bently, Robert Bishaw, Helen Brown, Jane Bugby, Clare Burns, Delores Chappel, Jeannette Clough, James Dibble, Wanda Doroh, Orlo Galvani, Thomas Manion, Anita Melchar, Sally McClain, Beatrice McDaniell, Marianna McKinney, Barbara Schmidt, Patricia Skingley, Virginia Slagle, Onalee Smith, Lucile Wakeley, Lois Worden, Lee Wyatt.

7th Grade, Patty Berry, Bobby Brady, Donna Carlson, Joan Corwin, Mary Gierke, Delores LaMotte, Phyllis Milks, Larry

69 Years Ago  
December 9, 1920

The Board of Trade will give a New Year dancing and card party at their club rooms New Years Eve for the members and their ladies.

Trainmaster P.L. Preim and yardmaster Wm. McNeven will leave tonight for Detroit to be in attendance at a big Masonic meeting that will take place at Palestine Temple.

Tuesday evening a delegation consisting of H.M. Reader, P.L. Preim, W.J. McNeven, W.B. Jamieson, A.H. Kidston, W.B. DeLaMater, A.J. Brunder, J.G. Smith, and G.G. Pringle representing the yardmaster, switchmen, car checkers and other departments of the Michigan Central R. R. called on Mr. P.E. Gardner, former trainmaster to bid him farewell and success in his new position. John Stephan was

showing about town Saturday last a fine specimen of Arctic white owl. It was a beauty, its wings spreading exactly five feet and from top of

head to end of tail it measured 24 inches. He was noticed while sitting on a stump back of the barn, no doubt looking for a breakfast of young chicken.

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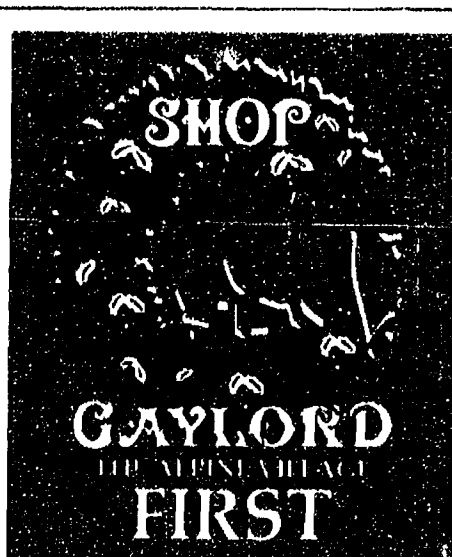
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49. W. F. MODELS
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## Science and Arts Fair Open to District Students

Plans for the 1990 District Wide Science and Arts Fair are almost finished. A steering Committee consisting of Larry Austin, Middle School Science teacher; Julie Dunkley, Frederic Elementary School

teacher; Karen Langseth, parent and community member, and Robert Hannan, Director of Community Education, finished revisions of the rules brochure this past week. This will be distributed to all

students prior to the Christmas break. The Science and Arts Fair offers competition in the area of Science, as well as a format for students who wish to exhibit visual arts projects. The Fair will be held on March 17,

1990 from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. at the Middle School gym and cafeteria. The Steering Committee has come up with many interesting ideas that will be incorporated into this year's event. Prizes

will be awarded to the three projects judged to be the best in each of the following categories: High School 9-12; Middle School 5-8 and 7-8; Elementary K-4 — Individual or Group and Lower Elementary K-4 — Classroom Projects.

The call for projects will begin with the distribution of the rules pamphlet (which includes an entry blank) on December 18, 1989. The commit-

tee has instructed teachers to review these Fair Guides in class, and it is hoped that parents will also review this pamphlet with their children at home. The deadline for entry of projects will be Jan. 19, 1990. At that time, individuals or groups must have an entry blank submitted. From this point, students will have approximately two and one-half months to work on their projects.

## Kehoe Named DSS Volunteer Coordinator

George Kehoe has been appointed as Volunteer Coordinator at the Crawford County Department of Social Services.

According to Robert Porter, Director, Kehoe will be focusing on low income housing problems within the county, as well as recruiting volunteers to provide needed medical transportation to low income persons. Reimbursement is available to cover mileage.

In addition, Porter indicated that Kehoe would be willing to meet with individuals or groups to discuss volunteer services within Crawford County.

Kehoe comes to us with 12½ years experience as Volunteer Services Coordinator from Cheboygan Coun-



George Kehoe

ty. He is married, has six children, and resides near the Waters area.

If you wish additional information on volunteer services, give Kehoe a call at Social Services at 348-7691.

## Bits of Talk

By Fay Bovee (348-7017)

Mrs. Donald Bentley flew to Ft. Jackson, South Carolina, for four days to attend her son's graduation from basic training and A.I.T. She was met by her daughter-in-law, Denise, who came by Greyhound bus to help in the celebration. Pvt. Bentley enlisted in the Army September 1989. He follows in his late father's footsteps. He served over 20 years for his country, with two tours in Viet-Nam, and one in Korea and Germany.

Anne Marie Church had the lead role of Mimi in the Opera "La Boheme" put on by the Brooklyn Opera Company in New York City recently. Anne Marie is the daughter of Ernestine Palmer and a graduate of Grayling High School now residing in Rigewood, N.J. with her husband, Tom Hendrickson.

Don and Ernestine Palmer spent the first weekend in December in Kalamazoo where they visited his son and family, Mike and Lorraine Palmer and Emily. They attended his Sunday School class where he was teaching the music of the Advent season.

When Jim Bourle and Tom Hunt meet for coffee anything can happen and it did. Saturday's coffee and a moment's decision brought a complete dinner and lots of gifts to about 50 seniors. A Sunday afternoon dinner at Spikes was planned and carried out complete with favors, door prizes from local businesses for everyone and a visit from the jolly old

man, Santa Claus, with less than 24 hours of planning. Fresh flowers decorated the tables and were given to the guests and everyone received a carnation corsage or boutonniere.

It was a most enjoyable afternoon, everyone had a great time including Jim and Tom and all of their family that helped. Its nice to have Grayling citizens who enjoy giving in the spirit of Christmas.

Airman First Class Ronald Bancroft of Hurlburt Field, Florida, spent November 11-25 with his mother, Virginia Bancroft. He enjoyed being here for Thanksgiving and doing some hunting.

Amanda Brook VanHooser arrived on November 15, 1989, to Jennifer and Greg VanHooser of Dayton, Ohio. She weighed 8 pounds 13 ounces. Grandparents are Bill LaMotte of Grayling and Diane and Greg Saylor of Dayton, Ohio, great grandparents are Joan and Stu Rose and great, great grandparents are Mrs. VanKlee of Grayling and Evelyn and Bill Winistorf of Sand Lake. This is the first great grandchild for the Roses.

Greg and Maria Chandler and children, Andrew and Regina, of Saline, spent the weekend with her parents, George and Evelyn Kent.

Michelle Fisher and her son, Anthony, of Glacier, Washington, spent a week with her mother, Mrs. Bernie Dosch.

## Lovells News

Our community was saddened by the death of Lyle Jewel who passed away on December 1st. Mr. and Mrs. Jewel had been a part of the community for 10 years. Four of those years Lyle was the Lovells Township Supervisor.

The senior citizens will meet on Friday, December 15th at the town hall starting with blood pressure being taken at 11:30 and dinner at 12:00.

The community Christmas party will be on Saturday, December 16th, at the town hall starting with

a pot luck supper at 6:30 followed by games and a visit from Santa.

New books at the library are: Caribbean by James Michener, Ultimate Prizes by Susan Howatch, Natural Basketry by Carol and Dan Hart, and Basic Baskets by Mara Cary.

Mrs. Dorothy DeVos and Mrs. Margie Harwood returned home Saturday after spending a few days visiting relatives in the Mt. Clemens area.

The Cheerful Givers club will meet Friday evening, December 15th, at 7:00 at the town hall. There will be a gift exchange.

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